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Births.

GREAD.—May 29, at her residence, Melodia, Windsor-street, Paddington, the wife of J. A. Gread, of a son.

HURLEY.—May 30, at her residence, Alpha Cottage, Cootamundra, the wife of John B. Hurley, of a son.

MORRICE.—May 26, at Ealing Forest, the wife of David Morrice, of a son.

Marriages.

KEBBELL—ATKINSON.—June 3, at St. Phillip's Church, Sydney, by the Rev. J. D. Langley, Charles Kebbell, son of Dr. Kebbell, of Brighton, England, to Edith Frances Atkinson, youngest daughter of the late Lieut.-General Atkinson, B.S.C., late Comptroller-General of Military Finances, Bengal.

ROBERTS—CARY.—May 12, at St. James's Church, by the Rev. H. L. Jackson, William Camden Hutchison, son of the Hon. R. H. Roberts, of Currawang, Murrumburrah, to Victoria Rosina, third daughter of William Cary, Esq., J.P., of Glenwood, Glebe Point.

THORBURN—BILLIS.—April 22, at Johnstone-street, Castlemaine, Victoria, by the Rev. Professor Macdonald, of Ormond College, uncle of the bride, Robert Taylor Thorburn, of Meroogal, Nowra, New South Wales, to Jessie, daughter of John Billis, Castlemaine.

Deaths.

CROAKER.—June 6, at Latona, Queen-street, Woollahra, Harry Croaker, aged 41 years.

CRONIN.—June 4, at his residence, 143, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, Thomas Cronin, native of Limerick, Ireland, aged 86 years. R. I. P.

DUNDAS.—June 5, at his late residence, 3, Codrington-street, Darlington, Mr. William Dundas, in the 39th year of his age, leaving a sorrowing wife and one child to mourn their sad loss. "He fell asleep in Jesus."

HARVEY.—May 30, drowned in the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon, George, dearly beloved son of William and Mary Harvey, of Auckland, New Zealand, aged 21 years. Inserted by his loving aunt, Mrs. Susan Buckman. Melbourne and New Zealand papers please copy.

LOWE.—May 28, at his residence, No. 2, Elger-street, Glebe, in his 56th year, James Lowe, the late beloved husband of Mary Ann Lowe, native of Perthshire, Scotland.

WILLIAMS.—May 5, at her son's residence, Mount Lindsay Station, Mrs. V. G. Williams, relict of the late Rev. V. G. Williams, of Murrurundi, aged 71 years, 7 months. Fell asleep in Jesus.

In Memoriam.

GLASSON.—In sad but fond remembrance of our beloved father, William Glasson, who died at his residence, 727, Harris-street, Ultimo, 6th of June, 1885, aged 38 years. Inserted by his children.

IZZARD.—In loving remembrance of Edward Izzard, who died April 18, 1885, at his residence, Freeman's Beach, in his 75th year. Inserted by his loving daughter, Mary Ann Lowe.

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Steamer.	Tns	Commander.	Leave Sydney, Noon.	Leave Melbourne, 1 p.m.	Leave Glenelg.
Valetta	4911	C. D. Sams	June 9	June 15	June 17
Tasmania	4488	C. G. Perrins	June 23	June 29	July 1
Shannon	4189	J. S. Murray	July 7	July 13	July 15
Ballaarat	4752	D. S. Tomlin	July 21	July 27	July 29

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SALAZIE	Bullard	July 13	July 17.
YARRA	Poydenot	August 10	August 14.

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Rates of passage money to Marseilles from £23 to £65, including table wine and the Suez canal dues on passengers.

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Available 12 months	£115	£92	£42

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Ship.	Tons.	Date.	Ship.	Tons.	Date.
GARONNE	3876	June 19	JOHN ELDER	4152	July 31
SORATA	4059	July 3	AUSTRAL	5588	Aug. 14
LUSITANIA	3825	July 17	CUZCO	3849	Aug. 28

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BRISBANE, &c.	MARANOA,	WARREGO,	BARCOO
a MARYBOROUGH	June 9.	June 16.	June 23.
a BUNDABERG	ditto	ditto	ditto
b ROCKHAMPTON	ditto	ditto	ditto
b MACKAY	ditto	ditto	ditto
BOWEN	ditto	ditto	ditto
TOWNSVILLE	ditto	ditto	ditto
c DUNGENESS	ditto	ditto	ditto
c MOURILYAN	ditto	ditto	ditto
c JOHNSTON RIV.	ditto	ditto	ditto
CAIRNS	ditto	ditto	ditto
PORT DOUGLAS	ditto	ditto	ditto
COOKTOWN	ditto	ditto	ditto
THURSDAY ISLND. NORMANTON	MARANOA, June 9, transhipping at Cooktown.		

a Passengers for Maryborough and Bundaberg transhipped at Brisbane.

b Passengers and Cargo for Rockhampton transhipped at Keppel Bay.

b Passengers for Mackay transhipped at Flat Top Island.

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KONO'WARRA	J. Tozer	TO-MORROW, 12 noon.
GABO	W. Donaldson	FRIDAY, June 11, 12 noon.
LEURA	J. Pain	SATURDAY, June 12, 11 a.m.
CHEVIOT	F. Strickland	TUESDAY, June 15, 12 noon.

FOR ADELAIDE (Via MELBOURNE).

KONO'WARRA	J. Tozer	TO-MORROW, 12 noon

FOR BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.

BURWAH	J. H. South	TO-MORROW, 4 p.m.
BARRABOOL	H. B. Bristow	SATURDAY, June 12, 1 p.m.
KEILAWARRA	G. Smith	TUESDAY, June 15, 4 p.m.

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN HARBOUR, GERALDTON, RUSSELL RIVER, AND PLANTATION CREEK.

BARRABOOL	H. B. Bristow	SATURDAY, June 12, 1 p.m.

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MELBOURNE	Cintra	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Elamang	Saturday, noon
ADELAIDE, Direct	Tenterden	Early
NOUMEA WHARF	Gunga	Friday, 5 p.m.
SUVA (FIJI)	Gunga	Friday, 5 p.m.
LEVUKA (FIJI)	Gunga	Friday, 5 p.m.
BRISBANE	Egmont	This day, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
MARYBOROUGH	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
BUNDABERG	Egmont	This day, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
GLADSTONE	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
ROCKHAMPTON	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
PORT MACKAY	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon.
Ditto	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
BOWEN	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
TOWNSVILLE	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
Ditto	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
DUNGENESS	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
CARDWELL	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
MOURILYAN	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
JOHNSTONE RIV.	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
CAIRNS	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
CAIRNS WHARF	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
PORT DOUGLAS	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
Ditto	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m.
COOKTOWN	Eurimbla	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Quiraing	Wednesday, noon
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on
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THIS (MONDAY) NIGHT,
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S.S. BRUNSWICK.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, 10 p.m.

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S.S. HELEN NICOLL
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S.S. WOODBURN,
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RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

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SHOALHAVEN.—Tuesday and Friday, at 11 p.m.

ULLADULLA.—Wednesday, noon; Cargo, 11 a.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.; Cargo, 8 a.m.

CLYDE RIVER.—Friday, 10 a.m.; Cargo, 8 a.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Friday, 10 a.m.; Cargo, 8 a.m.

MORUYA.—Friday, 10 a.m.; Cargo, 8 a.m.

MERIMBULA.—Wednesday and Saturday, noon; Cargo, 11 a.m.

TATHRA (For BEGA).—Wednesday and Saturday, noon; Cargo, 11 a.m.

EDEN.—Wednesday and Saturday, noon; Cargo, 11 a.m.

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TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, AND RAYMOND TERRACE.
THIS NIGHT, MONDAY, at 11, the COONANBARA.

No Cargo received after 4 p.m.

For particulars apply at Branch Office, next Opera House York-street, or at Lime-street office.

H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, AND RAYMOND TERRACE.

HUNTER RIVER NEW S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.
From Wharf, foot of Market-street, Sydney.
THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 11, the NAMOI.

Goods will not be received after 4 p.m.

For particulars apply at Central Booking Office, 353, George-street, or at Office, 147, Sussex-street.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

PORT MACQUARIE.

S.S. ROSE OF SHARON,

THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 noon, from Caledonian Wharf, King-street.

GEORGE SPEARS.

FOR PEAT'S FERRY.—The fast and commodious steamship MARRAMARRA leaves Patent Slip Wharf at 9.30 a.m. Cargo received all day. Freights payable in Sydney.

MELVEY and FORD.

GOSFORD, BRISBANE WATER.

S.S. CHARLOTTE FENWICK.

The above steamer leaves Patent Slip Wharf daily at 8.30 a.m., and No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 9 a.m., returning from Gosford at 2 p.m., giving passengers two hours in Gosford and landing them in Sydney at about 5 p.m.

SPECIAL TRIPS ON SUNDAYS.

at excursion rates, leaving Patent Slip Wharf at 8.30 a.m., Balmain (Darling-street Wharf) at 8.40 a.m., and No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 9 a.m., leaving Gosford on the return trip at 2 p.m.

Intending passengers and shippers of goods are requested to note the superior accommodation of this steamer, the speed and regularity of her trips (which have never been interrupted), and the sound and careful manner in which her cargo is invariably landed.

LYALL SCOTT,
Patent Slip Wharf.

GOSFORD.—Steamers daily from King-st., 8.30 a.m., 1.30 p.m.; No. 4 Jetty, 9 a.m., 2 p.m. Return 4s 6d, single 3s.

MANLY BEACH,

the most beautiful watering-place near Sydney.

Saloon Steamers BRIGHTON, FAIRLIGHT, and EMU
(weather permitting, and as far as practicable)
leave Sydney 7.15, 8*, 9, 10.15, 11.30, 12.30, 2.15, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.15, 7.30, 11.15.

Leaving Manly 7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 10, 12, 2, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 10.
* Mondays only.

Special time-table for Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

Return fare, 1s 6d; children 1s.

Freight received from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.; holidays excepted.

Loose hay and straw cannot be shipped.

PARRAMATTA AND RIVER STEAMERS AND TRAMWAY from KING-STREET.

Note.—The 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. steamer leaves C. Quay, No. 4 Jetty.

For PARRAMATTA, &c.: 7, 9, 10, and 10*, 11; 1, 2*, 3, 5.5.

RYDE: 7, 9, 10, and 10*, 11; 1, 2*, 3, 4.15, 5.5, 7 p.m.

GLADESVILLE: 7, 9, 10, and 10* 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 11.15.

CORREY'S GARDENS: Same Gladesville. (By signal only.)

FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD: 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15, 11.15.

HUNTER'S HILL and COCKATOO: 7, 9, 10, and 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 7.50, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

DRUMMOYNE PARK: All trips if signalled.

Returning from Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 12*, 1, 3, 4, 5.

From HUNTER'S HILL: 7.5, 8.15, 9.5, 9.15*, 10.15, 11.30, 12.15, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 7.5, 7.35, 8.45, 10.15.

DRUMMOYNE PARK: Immediately after Hunter's Hill.

COCKATOO: Ten minutes after leaving Hunter's Hill.

Fares at lowest reduced rates.

On Saturdays excursion fares by all steamers—single fares for double journey, available till midnight.

Trips marked * are to and from No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay.

Lowest Fares—Hunter's Hill, 6d.; Parramatta, 1s.; Tram, 3d.

Time-tables free at King-street and No. 4 Jetty.

NOTICE.

On and after MAY 1, Ordinary RETURN TICKETS will be available for return at all hours, day and night.

HUNTER'S HILL AND LANE COVE RIVER.

STEAMERS LEAVE—

LIME-STREET, foot of Erskine-street, at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.15, 11.15.

FIG TREE, HUNTER'S HILL, 7, 8, 8.50, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 10.15.

SUNDAYS.—LIME-STREET, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.30.

FIG TREE, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.30.

Calling each way at Greenwich, Woolwich, Northwood, Longueville, Sunnyside, Alexandra-street, River View, and Drummoyne-street.

Extra fare after 8 p.m. on week days—1s, single or return.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR and Head of Middle Harbour.—THIS AFTERNOON and Wednesday S.S. MASCOTTE will leave No. 2 Jetty at 2.30 sharp. 1s Return.

W. J. HARMER, Manager.

FOR MAURITIUS.

The Schooner VALADOR will be despatched for Mauritius early in June, and has room for a small quantity of cargo.

For freight, &c., apply to

GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO.

FOR HONGKONG, VIA CAROLINE ISLANDS.

The smart clipper Brig SWAN,
Captain D. D. O'Keefe,

will sail for the Caroline Islands in a few days, and has accommodation for a limited number of passengers ONLY.

Persons desiring to see these islands in all their pristine beauty, or who wish to avoid the winter season now coming on here, or who are in search of health, have now an opportunity seldom offered to the public, as the voyage is one of

CALM PLEASANT WEATHER THROUGHOUT.
The beauty of the Islands cannot be surpassed by any
SCENERY IN THE WORLD,
and the climate pleasant and healthful.

Those who wish to proceed to HONGKONG, after a short stay among the islands, can do so by this, or some other equally suitable vessel, or can return to Sydney, at option, by same means, as it is Captain O'Keefe's intention to send vessels to both places.

For full particulars apply to

JOHN WILLIAMS, Pitt-street.

KIMBERLEY GOLDFIELDS.

The undersigned will despatch the A1 ship
HATTIE E. TAPLEY (1400 tons)
for DERBY, about the 15th instant.
LOW RATES: Passage, £6; horses, £7; cargo, £3.

For all particulars apply

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THE SCHOONER LORD OF THE ISLES

will sail for SUVA
about the END of JUNE.

For freight apply to

DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited, agents.

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The Magnificent Iron Clipper
ACHILLES,
1521 tons register, H. Robinson commander,

has large engagements, and is now receiving cargo. Quick dispatch.

Wool received at Central Wharf.

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Agents.

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Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Central Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for loss of, or damage to cargo after it is landed, and all goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at risk and expense of consignees.

Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned, before any goods can leave the wharf.

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Captain ANDREW will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

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Protection from weather, safe custody, with speedy delivery immediately on landing of goods, can be availed of by consignees for the customary wharfage and cartage charges, and free of any additional cost, upon application to the Wharfinger, or at the office of the undersigned.

ALFRED LAMB,
Macquarie-place.

SHIP DUCHESS OF ALBANY, FROM LIVERPOOL.

All ACCOUNTS against this vessel must be RENDERED in duplicate, at the office of the undersigned, by noon THIS DAY, or they will not be recognised.

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NEW HULL, fully coppered, for SALE, cheap, carries 90 tons on 6 feet, suitable for any work; easy terms if required.

G. SPEARS, Cowper Wharf.

Business Announcements.

REMOVAL.—Parrott and Cameron, civil engineers and surveyors, have removed to Mercantile-buildings, Pitt-st.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM WILEY has REMOVED his Business Office, from 91, Pitt-street to 7, Gresham-street.

DR. GEORGE ON LEE has REMOVED to 31, Wynyard-sq. Hours of consultation, 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Personal.

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PRIVATE ENQUIRY AGENT,
315, GEORGE-STREET.

Missing Relatives traced.
Copies of Wills and other documents procured at moderate cost.
All kinds of Enquiry work undertaken.

Evidence obtained in divorce and other proceedings.
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IF PAUL BARRETT, Stonemason, will call to see Mr. Jones, s.s. Alameda, chief cook, he will oblige. Eliza Barrett.

IF Mr. or Mrs. JAMES RYAN will call to see Mr. Jones, chief cook s.s. Alameda, he will be obliged. Eliza Barrett.

JAMES TWOMEY, Plasterer,—Call on J. Nutman, Hunter's Hill, at once.

MISS ELLEN CURRAN, who left Orange about 6 years ago, send address to your brother, Hugh Curran, Belabagil, near Dubbo; or Messrs. Burke, Coulson, and Naylor, Orange. Important, and to your advantage.

VAN DER LAAM, A. C., of Bennebrook, Holland, if alive, will please communicate with the undersigned. Any person knowing anything of him, alive or dead, will oblige by giving information to Alex. Gray, Consul of the Netherlands, 58, Margaret-street, Sydney.

WANTS the Address of Mr. D. MOYES, late of Grafton. J. A. Holmsten, Auburn.

WILL Mr. C. R. M., late of Fiji, oblige by calling upon Mr. E. S., at Three Crowns Hotel, Church-hill?

WILLIAM BURBURY,—Please communicate privately with George Terry, 8, Collins-st. W., Melbourne.

WILL the Gentleman who held sweep in five-mile Champion Bicycle Race please leave money at 410, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WILLIS.—CHRISTOPHER WILLIS, late of 116, Clarence-street. The Address of the above wanted. Any person will oblige by communicating same to Mr. Godfrey, solicitor, 58, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

Lost and Found.

LOST, Red-and-White COW, brand on horn, rope on same; reward. P. Abel, Summer Hill.

LOST, a Ladies' Silver BRACELET, between Waverley and Redfern Stations. Reward. 53, Market-street.

LOST, baker's Pass BOOK, Petersham or Newtown. Reward. Mrs. M'Clean's Drapery Warehouse, Petersham.

LOST, in Queen-street, Woollahra, or in tram, a Gold PIN for tie. Reward to finder returning same to "Ellora," Queen-street.

LOST, at Petersham, a PURSE, containing money. Will the finder please bring same to Mills and Pile, 180, Pitt-street.

LEFT, in W.C., Burwood station, Silver Lever Waltham WATCH and Chain, Pouch and Belt attached. Finder rewarded by applying to W. Ewart, Hall-street, Auburn, or Burwood Pipe Track.

LOST, in Ocean-street 'bus, or top of William-street, Saturday evening, Lady's BAG, and purse containing money; reward. Miss Norris, Corcomroe-terrace, Surry-street, Darlinghurst.

LOST, on Saturday afternoon, at the Association Ground or in Woollahra tram, a Lady's Gold BRACELET, with Carbuncle in centre. Finder will receive one pound reward on returning same to Pelham Hall, South-street, Woollahra.

LOST or Stolen, a Colley SLUT with wall-eye, lame near fore foot. If stolen, £5 reward will be paid on conviction of the thief; if lost, the finder will be rewarded on returning her to

L. UHDE and CO., Butchers,
679, George-street, Haymarket.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, on Saturday night, in Market-street, between Pitt and Castlereagh streets, Gold RING, set with large pearls. The Carrington, Pitt and Market streets.

REWARD, £1.—LOST, CIGARETTE CASE, containing papers. Apply Wentworth House, Church-hill.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, Iron-Grey HORSE, spur brand on near shoulder. No. 22 marked under the saddle. J. Smith, Joseph-street, Rookwood.

FOUND, at Manly Beach pier, one HANDKERCHIEF, embroidered "C. B." W. Boston, care E. Way, Pitt-street.

FOUND, new SLIPPERS and Cushions, at R. Burton's showrooms, 15, Hunter-street.

FOUND, a Fox Terrier SLUT. Owner can have same by applying 23, Clyde-street, Miller's Point.

Religious Announcements.

CHRIST CHURCH,

S. LAURENCE, SYDNEY.

OCTAVE OF THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION.

THURSDAY, 10th JUNE.

A FESTAL SERVICE will be held in this Church on the above date, when a selection from
"THE REDEMPTION,"
by Ch. Gounod, will be given, descriptive of the Resurrection and Ascension of our blessed Lord, by a Chorus and Orchestra of about 100. The offertory will be devoted to the fund for the removal and improvement of the organ, and it is hoped that a liberal contribution will be made for this object.

There will be a FULL REHEARSAL at the Church on TUESDAY, at 7.30 p.m., sharp.

JOSEPH MASSEY.
MICHAEL STANTON.

LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—Public Meeting to welcome Bro. JAS. CHALMERS, from New Guinea, at Pitt-street Congregational Church, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 7.30.

MANLY Branch Women's Prayer Union—Unsectarian—Meets every Thurs., 3.30, Cong. Ch. Vest. Mrs. Olliver.

Military Notices.

NEW SOUTH WALES VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

The Regiment will PARADE in drill order with arms and accoutrements as follows:—

Nos. 1 and 2 Batteries TO-MORROW, Tuesday, the 8th instant, at 7.30 p.m., at Victoria Barracks.

No. 3 Battery on THURSDAY, the 10th instant, at 7.30 p.m., at Victoria Barracks.

No. 4 Battery, on THURSDAY, the 10th instant, at 7.30 p.m., at Dawes' Batttry.

RESERVES:

No. 9 Battery on WEDNESDAY, the 9th instant, at 8 p.m., at Dawes' Battery.

Nos. 10 and 11 Batteries on WEDNESDAY, the 9th instant, at 8 p.m., Balmain.

No. 12 Battery on WEDNESDAY, the 9th instant, at 7 p.m., Botany.

By order,
N. A. NATHAN,
Captain and Adjutant V. A.

SECOND REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Nos. 3 and 4 Companies will PARADE in drill order at the Victoria Barracks at 8 p.m. TO-MORROW, 8th instant.

By order,
(Signed) C. G. NORRIS, Major and Adjutant,
Second Regiment Infantry.

Business Cards

AA.—The International Patent and Trade Marks Office of Ed. Waters. Fred. Walsh, manager, 51, Hunter-st.

A. A.—ARTIFICIAL TEETH, best quality, full sets £5. Marshall Brothers, dentists, 133, Elizabeth-st.

A CARD.—Mrs. NORRIS, Teacher of Writing, &c.; Letters written. 50, Botany-street, Darlinghurst.

A CARD.—Mr. GEO. E. CARTER, Dentist, only address, 247, Elizabeth-street, Hyde Park. High-class Dentistry at moderate fees. Artificial teeth on gold a specialitd. Teeth stopped painlessly. Trams to door.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—E. M. A. CARTER (widow of the late J. E. Carter) continues the practice of Surgical and Mechanical Dentistry, assisted by a skilled practitioner from London, at 82, College-street, Hyde Park. Consultation free.

A CARD.—The FIRST PRIZE and Highest Award for Mechanical Dentistry at the SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, the N. S. W. Agricultural Exhibition Medal, for 3 years successively, the London International Medal, and the Philadelphia Centennial Medal, for Artificial Teeth, have been gained by Mr. John Spencer against all competitors.

PAINLESS EXTRACTION by the aid of Nitrous Oxide Gas.
Mr. JOHN SPENCER,
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BABYLINEN, Dressmaking, Millinery, Underclothing, Hosiery, &c. Mrs. T. C. Hinchcliffe, 121 and 123, Oxford-st.

CARPETS sent for, cleaned, and relaid by J. BRUN, Sydney Carpet Grounds, Rushcutter Bay.

DENTISTRY.—Ladies who are nervous, consult A. EMANUEL, Dentist, of 472, George-street, opposite the Markets, who fixes Artificial Teeth without pain; charges moderate.

G. GUYATT and CO., Surgical Instrument and Truss Makers, 495, George-street, near Bathurst-street, Sydney.

HENRY HART, Undertaker, 195, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills, near Riley-st. Cheap Funeral Establishment.

JOHN HAYDON CARDEW, Licensed Surveyor, continues the
PRACTICE of his PROFESSION at
163, KING-STREET, opposite Temple-court.

MEDICAL ADVICE.—Dr. EWINGTON (from London), Member Royal College Surgeons, Eng., M.D., Belgium; L.S.A., London; reg. Eng. and N. S. W.; may be consulted daily from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., at Marshall Brothers', 104-6, Market-st., near Hyde Park, Sydney. Specialty—Rheumatism, Skin, and other Contagious Disorders, Nervous Complaints, &c. Consultation and Medicine 10s 6d, or by letter £1, when Medicine and Instructions will be sent free.

PAINLESS DENTISTRY.—Mr. HODGSON, 85, Phillip-street, from Cavendish-sq., London. Trams to door.

SPECIAL VALUE in BLACK GOODS; Scarboro' Serges, 5½d yard; Curl Cloths, 9½d yard; Ottoman Cloths, 1s 6d yard; French Cashmeres, 1s 3d to 5s 6d yard; 45-inch Indian Cashmeres (all wool), 1s 3½d yard. G. Way's, 213, Pitt-street.

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A large variety to select from.

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HIGH-CLASS DRESSMAKING.—For this department we are ever striving to meet the growing demand for novelty, style, and finish in work; and perhaps in none other is there a greater call for that activity, which must attend advancement in refined fashion.

In addition to our experienced staff in our fitting rooms, we have engaged a leading assistant from WORTH'S eminent house in PARIS, whose ability, we feel sure, will command further success.

This, we think, will add to the assurance of our patrons, and still further confirm that trust which we so largely enjoy as THE FIRST COSTUMIERS IN SYDNEY.

Orders for every style of dress faithfully carried out, with a due regard for a consistent economy in their execution.

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EVENING DRESS MATERIALS.

We are showing to-day a special parcel of Novelties for EVENING WEAR, and direct attention to some remarkable fabrics now much in favour.

TINTED FLORAL NETS.
GAUZE DE CHAMBREY, with Plush Stripes
BEADED NETS.
TARLATANS, MUSLINS.
LACE FLOUNCINGS, &c.

An early inspection is solicited, as the assortment is fresh and rare.

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FARMER and COMPANY'S All-wool French Cashmeres and Merinos excel for value this season any previous importations. We confidently recommend them as reliable for dye, finish, and wear.

46 inches wide All-wool French Cashmeres, 1s 9d to 6s 6d per yard.

45 inches wide All-Wool French Merinos, 1s 9d to 5s 6d per yard.

BOUCLÉ CLOTH.—A new production; an entire change from anything hitherto worn; 46 inches wide, all wool, 2s to 6s 6d per yard.

AUSTRALIAN BORDERED SERGE.—Also a novelty. Already in great favour and demand; 45s, 47s 6d, 55s, and 63s the Robe length.

THE NEW STRIPE WOOL PLUSH, with plain material to match, 47s 6d, 55s the Robe length.

We have several special novelties which should be seen, but are too difficult now to describe.

ALL-WOOL OTTOMAN CLOTH.—Our buyers have, under exceptional circumstances, bought a large parcel of these beautiful goods, which for value are unprecedented; 27 inches wide, 1s 3d, 1s 4½d, 1s 6d yard.

ALL-WOOL FRENCH POPLIN, 27 inches wide, 10½d, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 4½d, 1s 6d per yard.

DEVONSHIRE SERGE, of wide-world notoriety, 27 inches wide, 1s 9d per yard.

FOULE SERGE, 26 inches wide, 1s, 1s 2d, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d per yard.

FOULE SERGE, 46 inches wide, 2s 3d, 2s 6d, 3s, 3s 6d per yard.

CHUDDAH CLOTH, 46 inches wide, 2s 3d, 2s 6d, 3s, 3s 3d yard.

THE ARMURE CLOTH, 27 inches wide, 1s 8d, 1s 11d yard.

THE ARMURE CLOTH, 46 inches wide, 2s 6d, 2s 9d, 3s 6d yard.

FRENCH DIAGONAL, 46 inches wide, 3s 3d, 3s 6d yard.

BISON CLOTH, 46 inches wide, 2s 3d yard.

THE CROISE CLOTH, 26 inches wide, 1s 6d yard.

TRUROYABLE, a new material, 40 inches wide, 3s 9d yard.

LOOP RAYE, 42 inches wide, 4s 9d yard.

THE UNI CLOTH, 42 inches wide, 2s 9d yard.

A NOVELTY.—Bordure all right, 44 inches wide, 4s 6d yard.

ALL-WOOL CRAPE CLOTH, 46 inches wide, 3s, 3s 9d, 4s 6d.

CRAPE CLOTH, 26 inches wide, 1s 6d, 1s 8d yard.

CASHMERE SERGE, 27 inches wide, 1s to 2s 6d yard.

HENRIETTA CLOTHS, 46 inches wide, 4s 6d, 5s 6d, 6s 6d, 7s 6d.

COURTAULD'S celebrated Rainproof CRAPES, 3s 6d to 16s 6d yard.

COMPLIMENTARY MOURNING.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPECIAL.—JERSEY BODICES.—A shipment of these goods just opened, all colours.

NOTE.—We are showing in our Dress Department, a SPECIAL COMBINATION ROBE, of Costume Cloth and Broché Surah. 17 yards for 25s.

WINTER NOVELTIES.

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.

Much as can be said for Costumes or Millinery, or other leading departments of fashion, no words of praise can adequately describe the beauty, novelty, and general appearance of elegance to be found in the garments for this special department. To accompany the rich taste displayed in costumes, it is of course correct that the outer garment or mantle should be also consistent and in good taste. This fact has certainly been clear to the minds of our buyers, who have placed us for this Autumn's trade in possession of both the articles of dress spoken of in charming agreement.

JERSEY JACKETS.—A large shipment of these goods, handsomely trimmed braid, in all qualities.

A very handsome Jersey, coloured plush vest, 30s.

COLOURED CLOTH JACKETS in all the leading shapes, trimmed braid and buttons.

DOLMAN MANTLES in the new curl cloth, trimmed astrachan, fur, plush, &c., at all prices from 29s. 6d. These are in shapes quite new, short, and stylish.

MARABOUT MANTLES, quite a novelty, very light, very warm, in colours, dark-green, brown, navy; price only 4 guineas.

A GRAND ASSORTMENT of MANTLES in plush, the new cloths, and velvets, trimmed in the most recherché style, and as worn in the highest circles.

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S ULSTERS.—Our shipments for these are now complete, and we would draw special attention to these garments.

LADIES' ULSTERS, 14s 6d, 16s 6d, 18s 6d, and 21s. We are showing splendid value.

SPECIAL CLEARING LINES:—

500 CHILDREN'S ULSTERS, 4s 11d

500 CHILDREN'S JACKETS, 9s 6d

1000 LADIES' BLACK and COLOURED CLOTH JACKETS, 10s 6d

LADIES' MACINTOSHES—in Dolman and Circulars, from 21s to 35s; ditto in silk, extra quality, from 45s to 4½ guineas. These goods are reliable, and are worthy of our highest recommendation.

FUR-LINED MANTLES—in Dolman and Circulars. An immense stock.

CHILDREN'S Fur-lined Cloaks, in all sizes.

CHILDREN'S JACKETS in all sizes; variety too great to enumerate.

SPECIAL VALUE.—Ladies' Brown Paletots, trimmed Marabout, 25s only. Every purchaser should see these.

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We are to-day showing a fresh parcel of Gloves, which includes the following:—

FARMERS' NORMANDIE—2 buttons, 2s 11d; 4 buttons, 3s 11d; 6 buttons, 4s 11d; 8 buttons, 5s 11d

FARMER'S VICTORIA—4 buttons, 5s 6d; 6 buttons, 6s 6d; 8 buttons, 7s 6d

DENT'S BERNARD—4 clasps, 3s 11d; 6 clasps, 4s 11d

DENT'S TAN, Kid-embroidered Backs, Mousquetaire, 4s 6d

Novelty in Suede Mousquetaire, embroidered backs, and Fancy Bracelets, 5s 6d.

PRINCESS GAUNTLETS—Clearing price, 3s 6d

A well-assorted Stock of Winter Gloves, in Cashmere, Cloth, Fleecy-lined Taffeta, &c.

LINED KID, Fur Tops, 5s and 6s

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CHILDREN'S Cashmere Gloves, in all colours, from 8d per pair

LADIES' Cashmere Gloves, in all colours, from 1s pair.

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Wedding Trousseaux, in every particular; estimates given

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Ladies' Morning Wrappers and Tea Gowns—in Flannels, all colours, 18s 6d to 42s; in Cashmere, all colours, 22s 6d to 75s; in Eider Down, Fancy, 58s 6d to 95s

A Choice Assortment of Tea Gowns, in Satin, handsomely trimmed with Lace and Coloured Embroidery

A large Stock of Underskirts, in Serge and Batswing, 5s to 13s 6d
- In Black Cashmere, 9s 6d to 13s 6d
- In Black Cashmere, flannel lined, 22s 6d to 35s
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Ballad—"Angels' Footsteps" ...	... Mr. J. Matlock
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Ballad—"I Dreamt, My Little Boy, of Thee"	... Miss Lucy Fraser.

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TEMPERANCE.
Interval of 10 Minutes.
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Sydney, 5th June, 1886.

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NOTICE.—A CALL (the 7th) of one shilling per share has been made payable on Wednesday, 9th June, 1886, at the office of the undersigned, Imperial-chambers, Bank-place, Melbourne.
JOHN DITCHBURN, Jun.,
Manager.

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NOTICE is hereby given to the Shareholders of the above Company that a CALL of Threepence per share was made on the 4th instant, and will be due and payable on MONDAY, the 14th day of JUNE instant, at the Company's Offices, 90, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Dated this 4th day of June, 1886.
T. F. WALLER,
Manager.

Government Notices.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
5th June, 1886.

GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS.
NEWTOWN AND MARRICKVILLE LINES.
NOTICE is hereby given that on and after WEDNESDAY, 9th June, 1886, the FIRST section will terminate at CLEVELAND-STREET.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
31st May, 1886.

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Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed, "Tender for Uniform Clothing."
P. A. JENNINGS.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
28th May, 1886.

TENDERS FOR WROUGHT IRON CHASES.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until noon of Tuesday, the 8th proximo, for the supply of
150 FOLDING DEMY CHASES,
300 FOLDING DOUBLE-FOOLSCAP CHASES.
The chases to be delivered in instalments—the first instalment of fifty of each kind within thirty days of the acceptance of tender. The whole to be delivered within six months of such acceptance.
Patterns may be seen at the Government Printing Office, and the patterns must be followed with the utmost exactness.
Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for £20, to be held as security for the due performance of the contract.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Chases."
P. A. JENNINGS.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
1st June, 1886.

PROVISION CONTRACTS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE, 1886-7.
GROCERIES, &c.
ATTENTION is invited to the notice in the Government Gazette of this date, calling tenders for provision supplies to the undermentioned institution during the period from 1st July, 1886, to 31st March, 1887, namely:—
HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, NEWCASTLE,
Section 5—GROCERIES.
Tenders close at noon on Tuesday, the 8th instant.
P. A. JENNINGS.

Department of Public Instruction,
Sydney, 2nd June, 1886.

TENDERS FOR GIRLS' SCHOOL.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Girls' School at the Tempe Public School.
Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney.
Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Girls' School, Tempe Public School," must be lodged with the Under-Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., on WEDNESDAY, the 16th June, 1886.
The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
ARTHUR RENWICK.

Department of Public Instruction,
Sydney, 3rd June, 1886.

TENDERS FOR REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS.
TENDERS are invited for Repairs and Improvements at the William-street Public School. Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the Office of the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney.
Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Repairs and Improvements, William-street Public School," must be lodged with the Under-Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, the 14th June, 1886.
The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
ARTHUR RENWICK.

Department of Lands, Sydney,
May 18, 1886.

LEASE FOR SPECIAL PURPOSE.
Attention is directed to the notification in the Government Gazette of this date, in reference to the proposal to grant Special Leases, as hereunder mentioned.
Any objections lodged on or before the 15th proximo will be duly considered.
Australian Gaslight Company, for wharf at Darling Harbour.
CHARLES OLIVER,
Under-Secretary.

Department of Public Works and Mines, Brisbane,
29th April, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.
NEW CUSTOM HOUSE, BRISBANE.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until 4 o'clock p.m., on FRIDAY, the 18th June, from persons willing to contract for Erection of New Custom House at Brisbane.
Tenders to be endorsed "New Custom House, Brisbane."
Plan, specification, and form of tender may be seen, and further particulars obtained, at this office; at the Colonial Architect's Office, Sydney; and Public Works Office, Melbourne.
The amount of preliminary deposit to be enclosed by bank draft or bank notes with the tender is £50. (See clause 1 in the general conditions attached to the specification.)
Tenders must be on a proper printed form, and state the time within which it is proposed to complete the work, and at the foot of every tender there must be a memorandum signed by the party tendering, agreeing to deposit the sum of 10 per cent. on amount of tender as security for the due performance of the contract in the event of the tender being accepted, and undertaking in that event to execute and deliver at the Office of the Crown Solicitor, in Brisbane, within fourteen days from the usual notification of acceptance, a bond to her Majesty for securing such performance, otherwise the tender will not be taken into consideration.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
EDWARD DEIGHTON,
Under-Secretary.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ACCOUNTS with plans of distribution in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Insolvency, Phillip-street, Sydney, and the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 17th June, 1886, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—
GIBSON BERESFORD, trading as "Beresford and Company," of 10, Margaret-street, City, and 5, Bowman's-terrace, Waverley-road, General and Commission Agent (No. 20,288), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 1s 1 37-64d (one shilling and one penny and thirty-seven sixty-fourths of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.
WILLIAM JAMES STRATFORD, of Cobar, late of Overflow, Licensed Victualler (No. 17,883), a second account and plan showing an equalising dividend of 3s 2d 1-7th (three shillings and twopence and one-seventh of a penny) per £ on two (2) debts proved since confirmation of first account and plan herein, and a second dividend of 3s 2d 5-16ths (three shillings and twopence and five-sixteenths of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts; also a balance carried forward to the credit of a third account.
LANCELOT T. LLOYD,
Official Assignee.
25, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street,
Sydney, 31st May, 1886.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
In the Insolvent Estate of GABRIEL CAREY, of Parramatta, in the Colony of New South Wales, Bootmaker.
NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to his Honor the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, at the Court House, Phillip-street, on THURSDAY, the 24th day of June instant, or so soon after as the course of business of the Court will admit, on behalf of the abovenamed insolvent, for the release of the abovenamed insolvent estate, on the ground that all the creditors of the said insolvent estate have been paid all the debts and claims due to them by the said insolvent estate in full.—Dated this 4th day of June, A.D. 1886.
ROBERT HENRY LEVIEN,
Solicitor for Insolvent,
Phillip-street.
To the Chief Clerk in Insolvency.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of JAMES THOMAS FALLON, late of Manly, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Vigneron, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof, application will be made to this Honorable Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the above-named deceased may be granted to Patrick Edwin Fallon, of 91, Pitt-street, Sydney, merchant, the executor named therein. Dated this 2nd day of June, 1886.
R. F. Carolan, Proctor, Stephen-court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

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NATIONAL SHIPWRECK RELIEF SOCIETY OF N. S. W.
At a Meeting of the above Society held in the EXCHANGE, THIS DAY, JUNE 3rd, it was resolved,—"That it be intimated to the widows, orphans, and aged parents, or others dependent upon the seamen (including officers and whole of the crew) who were drowned at the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon steamship, that the Society will consider applications and relieve those in need of help."
Applications are invited to be sent to the Honorary Secretary or any member of the committee, when their cases will receive immediate attention.
A. T. WILSHIRE,
Honorary Secretary,
77, Pitt-street.
N.B.—The Society is prepared to undertake the distribution, after investigation, of any funds committed to their care.

AUSTRALASIAN INSTITUTION OF MARINE ENGINEERS.—The MEETING to be held in the usual course This Evening, will be POSTPONED, on account of the Public Meeting in the Town Hall, re the Ly-ee-moon Disaster.
D. CHALMERS, President.
T. D. HAY, Secretary.

STEWARDS' and Cooks' Union of Australasia.—General MEETING POSTPONED until TO-MORROW EVENING. Members are requested to attend Meeting, Town Hall, To-night, re Ly-ee-moon Disaster. JAMES FINCH, President.

ASSIGNED ESTATE of W. H. DALRYMPLE.—A First Dividend of 8s in the £ will be payable at the office of Messrs. Trapp and Elles, 54, Margaret-street, on and after MONDAY next, 7th instant.
HENRY CLARKE } Trustees.
W. H. TRAPP }

THE ATTENTION of MERCHANTS, IMPORTERS, Storekeepers, Squatters, and all Persons in Business is directed to the Advantages offered by the
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APOLOGY.—Mr. D. FOUNTAIN: Dear Sir,—Having in a moment of excitement made use of remarks towards you which I find were not justified, I, in justice to you, hasten to make the amende by apologising for having expressed myself as I did. Yours truly,
Petty's Hotel, Church-hill. E. S. CHAPMAN.

IF GEORGE WILSON, alias NOWELS (proper name unknown), Carpenter, of Balmain, does not proceed with his contract at once, I will finish same at his risk. JACOB BRAUNBECK, Rockdale.

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Meetings.

LY-EE-MOON DISASTER.
Town Hall, Sydney,
June 4, 1886.
In response to a request of a deputation of citizens, I hereby call a PUBLIC MEETING to be held at the TOWN HALL, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a RELIEF FUND for the WIDOWS and ORPHANS of those lost in the LY-EE-MOON.
JNO. YOUNG, Mayor.

LY-EE-MOON DISASTER.
PUBLIC MEETING THIS EVENING.
The Right Worshipful the MAYOR has consented to preside, and the following gentlemen will speak on the occasion:—
His Excellency Baron Carrington, Bishop Barry, Hons. E. Barton, G. R. Dibbs, W. B. Dalley, Geo. Thornton, Jno. Sutherland, Sir Henry Parkes, Captain Trouton, Rev. C. J. Byng, of Melbourne, and other influential citizens.
LADIES ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.
T. KERSHAW }
J. D. HAY } Joint Hon. Secretaries.
J. WALL }

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NEW SOUTH WALES COMMISSION COLONIAL AND INDIAN EXHIBITION.
MEETING will be held at Colonial Secretary's Office at 4 p.m. on TUESDAY, 8th instant. Members please attend to form quorum.
ALEX. CUMMINS,
Secretary.

GOVERNMENT TARIFF PROPOSALS.—A monster PUBLIC MEETING of the inhabitants of Newtown and surrounding districts will be held at the Temperance Hall, Newtown, THIS EVENING, June 7th, to consider the Tariff proposed by the Government. The following gentlemen have promised to address the meeting:—Sir Henry Parkes, M.L.A., W. J. Foster, M.L.A., F. J. Gibbes, M.L.A., F. Abigail, M.L.A., John Sutherland, M.L.A., Alderman N. Hawken, and J. Abbott, Esq., and others. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock p.m.
J. ABIGAIL, J. HAMBLIN, Hon. Secs.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—To the residents of Cook's River, Tempe, Arncliffe, and Warren.—A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at Sargent's Hall, opposite Cook's Hotel, Tempe, on WEDNESDAY, 9th JUNE, 1886, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of urging the Government to grant a SIDING and GOODSHEDS at Tempe Railway Station.
Chair to be taken by Mayor of St Peters.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
MONTHLY MEETING.
The second monthly meeting of the above society will be held in the large hall, Technical College, Pitt-street,
on
TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 8th,
at 8 o'clock.
Paper to be read and discussed, "Horticulture," by Mr. Luke Wooff.
Members and others are invited to send plants or objects of horticultural interest.
Plants, &c., will be received after 5 o'clock p.m.
S. C. LINDLEY,
Hon. Secretary.

AMALGAMATED JOURNEYMEN TAILORS.—A MEETING of the above Association TO-NIGHT, at Murphy's Albion Hotel, 7.30.
H. E. KENNEDY.

ATHENÆUM CLUB.
The Usual Monthly BALLOT, of which due notice has been given, will be held at the Club Rooms, Hunter-street, THIS DAY, Monday, between the hours of 1 and 2, and 4 and 5 p.m.
F. J. HOLDSWORTH, Hon. Secretary.

MASONIC.—SOCIAL MOTHER, No. 0.—Usual Monthly MEETING, TO-NIGHT, 7.30, Hall, Castlereagh-street. Business: Initiation, Installation, &c., &c.
GEO. BRADLEY, Secretary.

MASONIC.—LODGE of AUSTRALIA, 390, E. C.—THIS EVENING, at 7 prompt.

MASONIC, 390 E.C.—Visitors cordially invited TO-NIGHT, songs, &c. F. BUBBLE, P.M.

KILWINNING R. A. C., No. 135, S. C.—Monthly CONVOCATION, MONDAY, 7.30, Masonic Hall, York-st.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION of NEW SOUTH WALES.—The Monthly MEETING of the Grand Lodge will be held TO-MORROW (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7.30 sharp.
J. WHEELER, R.W.G.M., E. D. MADGWICK, G. Sec.

NO. 59 LORNE L. O. L.—Usual monthly MEETING THIS (Monday) EVENING, in Public Hall, Harris-street, Ultimo, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren invited. R. J. BROWN, Secretary.

NO. 47, L. O. L.—Regular Monthly Meeting, this Evening, at 8 o'clock. Visiting Bret. invited. By order, W. M.

NO. 33, Duke of Edinburgh, L.O.L.—Regular monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING. Visitors cordially invited.

NO. 16, L. O. L.—Monthly MEETING next WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 7.30 sharp. Every member please attend. Music and Recitations at 9.
By order of the W. M.

R. B.P., No. 70, Hobah, meets This (Monday) Evening, at Protestant Hall, Darlington, at 8 p.m.

HOPE OF DARLINGTON LODGE, 187, I.O.G.T.—Members are particularly requested to attend THIS EVENING, as the business is of importance. FRED. W. COLLINS, W.C.T. JAS. ADAMS, W.S.

NO. 59 LORNE L. O. L.—Usual Monthly MEETING MONDAY NIGHT, Public Hall, Pyrmont. Visitors invited.
By Order W.M.

NUTTS BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the Company will be held at NOON THIS DAY, June 7, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, when the subjoined Resolutions, which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held at 11.30 a.m., at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, on Wednesday, May 19, 1886, will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions.
RESOLUTIONS:
1. "Resolved that Nutts Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited, be and is hereby required to be wound up voluntarily, pursuant to the Companies Act, section 180, subdivision 2."
2. "Resolved that Mr. Leonard Dodds be appointed liquidator."
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS,
Manager.

Lectures.

SIR HENRY PARKES, K.C.M.G., has kindly co sented to deliver an ADDRESS on
"PARLIAMENTARY GOVERNMENT IN THE AUSTRALIA COLONIES,"
in the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, on
TUESDAY EVENING, June 8, at quarter to 8,
in aid of the Leichhardt Presbyterian Church.
Sir ALFRED STEPHEN will preside.
Reserved seats, 2s; back seats and gallery, 1s.
Tickets may be had at Messrs. Fuller and Co.'s, 385, Georg street.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION
The following FREE LECTURES will be delivered in th Technical College Hall, Pitt-street:—
"Principles which underlie the Art of Teaching—School Di cipline—Moral and Intellectual," by Mr. Willi Wilkins, on WEDNESDAY, June 9, at 8 p.m.
"Gunpowder," by Mr. P. J. Edmunds, on THURSDA June 10, at 8 p.m.
"Dyeing and Dyewares—Water in its Relation to Dyeing," Mr. Hugh Pollock, B.A., LL.B., on FRIDAY, June 11, 8 p.m.
EDWARD DOWLING, Secretary.

Y.M.C.A.—TUESDAY, 22nd JUN
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The Most Reverend the LORD BISHOP OF SYDNEY w avail himself of this opportunity to bring the cause of T King's School before the country, both in reference to its pa history and its future work.
The HON. W. B. DALLEY, Q.C., has most generou and courteously intimated his intention (D.V.) to be prese when he hopes that he "may be permitted to say a few words the boys and to the country."
It is also expected that, by the timely arrival of the Sa from England, the REV. ARTHUR ST. JOHN GRAY, M Head Master (elect) of the King's School, may be present.
The limited space available in upper school for the recept of visitors has made it absolutely necessary to restrict number of admissions. CARDS OF INVITATION will, the fore, be issued by the Council of The King's School, upon pr sentation of which, AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE, admission w be ensured.
GEO. F. MACARTHUR,
Head Maste
June 1, 1886.

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OUR ST. PETERSBURG LETTER.

ST. PETERSBURG, APRIL 9.

The prolonged struggle which Prince Battenberg carries on with the European Powers is the leading topic of the day in St. Petersburg, and no little wonder is felt at the temerity and audacity with which this second Alexander of Macedonia carries on the negotiations. It is clear that he has resolved to vanquish or perish, and even if forced at last to accept a compromise, will do so draped in such dignity that it will not appear one in vulgar eyes. It is evident that the Prince is only procrastinating so as to gain time, in the hope that the present difficulties about the Irish question will remove Mr. Gladstone from his post, and that the Conservative party in England will again be in the ascendant. In that case, Prince Battenburg considers himself emboldened to give vent to his most ambitious plans, and to put Russia and her pretensions quite out of the question. The Prince evidently knows what he is about, and knew from the beginning. Whether Russia, however, will consent to these plans, the realisation of which is tantamount to the complete annihilation of her influence in Bulgaria, is a question, and England may find herself in a disagreeable position. The immediate occupation of this country by Russian troops, in case Prince Alexander refuses to sign the agreement come to in Constantinople, is considered likely, though what this could lead to is not at all clear. Russia is beginning to be seriously alarmed at the evident disadvantages of the part she is compelled to play in the European concert. The dissatisfaction of the public is no more to be concealed, and the Government is openly blamed. Tears are shed over the loss of the Russian "prestige" in Bulgaria, though, in fact, this so-much-talked-of prestige has never existed but in the sickly brain of the Slavanophiles, and one or two enthusiasts, such as Skobeloff and Tchernaeff. The Bulgarians, a people infinitely superior in culture to the Russians, did not take the least trouble to conceal their annoyance upon seeing the pretensions of the latter to lay down the law in Bulgaria, and, notwithstanding the good feelings which seemed at first to exist between the two nations, the Bulgarians only wanted to squeeze all the profit they could from their deliverers, whom they soon rather felt inclined to call their tyrants. The gradual decay of the Russophite enthusiasm in Bulgaria has been witnessed and noted by the whole world, and Russia in vain hopes to restore her prestige on the Balkan Peninsula. It is dead and buried. Other causes of anxiety are now weighing upon the Government, the great financial difficulties which render the undertaking of a war almost impossible. The commercial crisis, now felt everywhere, and the social problems caused thereby, demanding immediate solution, the discontent of the Russo-German population of the Baltic Provinces at reforms attempted, schisms in the Church, and other important considerations, make the present year one of unusual complication. The insane effort to "Russianise," by coercion, the Baltic Provinces will lead to nothing but disaster; and even it may be safely predicted, to the ultimate loss of these provinces, thirsting to be annexed to Germany, and fretting under the Russian yoke, however light it has hitherto been, like a spirited steed under the hand of its rider.

As long as the Government left these people alone, suffered them to lead their own life, to have their own courts of law, their own schools, gymnasiums, universities, &c., all went pretty well, but the great wave that has rolled over Russia, the universal Russianising movement (I am aware this expression may appear strange, but I cannot express the idea otherwise) sweeps all before it, and it has been resolved that the German inhabitants of the shores of the Baltic are to become Russians *nolens volens*. The new judicial reforms having been introduced—in themselves excellent measure—it has been found necessary that justice should be administered in Russian, and not in German, consequently all Germans not knowing the Russian language, *i.e.*, 90 per cent. of the population, will have to hire interpreters, and the intelligent members of society—that is, educated people, students, &c.—are unfit to be advocates, judges of the peace, or even simple scribes. The lessons in all public institutions are to be in Russian, this remember when those who learn hardly understand that language. It may easily be imagined what great difficulties must attend even the loose application of this law, which, by rendering the educated Germans unfit for the career they were prepared for, will fill the provinces with the so-called intellectual proletariat, so widely diffused in Russia; and it is, no doubt, to give bread to so many hungering pedagogues that this bright invention has been adopted. The situation of the Germans is really capable of awakening sympathy in the hardest heart, for besides the rooted antipathy those people nourish against the Russians, they evince very little capacity in general for the study of foreign languages, whereas the Russian, on the contrary, is marvellously endowed, and most cultivated people here speak three or four languages equally well, and write them, too. For the German, Russian, presents as many difficulties as the ancient Greek. I have lived in Russia myself for 16 years, and surrounded by Russians, and though I have carefully studied the language, I cannot say I either speak or write it quite correctly. Germans residing in Moscow and St. Petersburg speak very badly, and it is impossible to imagine a German advocate, for example, pronouncing a speech in Russian. The inconvenience of this law is too evident to need any comment. As to the Universities, that of Darpath is so thoroughly German, being established on principles entirely opposed to those of the Russian universities, that it is almost impossible to Russianise it. The same may be said of the excellent University of Helsingfors, which can only lose by the introduction of any change, though it appears that Finland has hitherto escaped these spasmodic efforts at "reform," which, in this country, not unfrequently means retrogression. The newspapers, which now all side with the Government, no one uttering a protest, are full of indignant articles concerning the arrogance and independence, &c., of the Dorpath University, and the impudence of the corporations. The harmless frolics and vocal reunions of the music-loving students are represented as dangerous; and the same severe laws that exist in the other Universities concerning students' meetings, libraries, refection rooms, &c., are about to be applied to this eminently German institution, which is sure to rear and kick under such an order of things; there is little doubt that in a short time this University will be closed, and reopened under other auspices.

The clergy of the orthodox national Church are also deft in making converts from Protestantism, not of course among the cultivated portion of the inhabitants, but among the Esthonian and Lithuanian peasants, many of whom go over to the Greek Church to receive the advantages derived therefrom. Of course nothing of all this escapes the sharp eyes of Bismarck, who hitherto had not the shadow of a pretext to insinuate that Russia was in any way intolerant towards these provinces. But this manner of brutally forcing Russia down the people's throats will have the most fatal results. Russia cannot struggle with Germany. She cannot even oppose the great flooding of Germanism into her Polish provinces adjacent to Prussia. The German element has taken entire possession of them, and their cities especially Lodzo, have become flourishing German centres. the like of which it would be vain to seek in any other part of Russia.

As to affairs in Afghanistan, an uncomfortable feeling has lately been spreading. The rumour of some misunderstanding about the border line, though it seems to have no serious foundation, has been sufficient to cause a great panic in the money market. Funds have been falling rapidly, and are only now beginning to rise. The speculator who uses the *Times* as an instrument to give these blows to Russia, can of course easily repeat his manœuvres, but no one believes there has been any serious misunderstanding between the Russian and English Commissions. The debates concerning the demarcation line between Afghanistan and the Russian possessions began soon after the occupation of the Merv oasis. It was then that a great storm was raised in the English papers from the fear that the Russians, becoming masters of the Turcoman Steppes, would soon find their way to Herat, then considered as the key to India. But as then both sides were ignorant of the topography of the regions where the line was to be drawn, there occurred endless discussions and disputes. Each side feared to make concessions lest the result of them might be the weakening of the prestige in Central Asia. When, however, detailed accounts were gathered upon the distance between the rivers Herirood and Mourgal, *i.e.*, that part of the line contiguous to the Herat country, it was found quite possible to come to an agreement satisfactory to both sides, and the further marking of the line on the east of Mourgaba, presented no subject for conflict. But even after the signing of the London protocol, it could not be guaranteed that some new misunderstanding should not arise when it came to the positive definition and tracing of the line on the spot, and as long as the Commission did not reach Meruschack it was not impossible that there might be grounds for further debates. But the news has arrived that this susceptible point has been reached and passed and now the line has only to be carried on to Hodja Salehah. Along the road that still lies before the Commission, there does not appear to exist any reasonable cause for fresh difficulties, at least for serious ones. Whether the remaining part of the line pass a little more north or south can have no importance for Herat, even were it difficult to find any geographical or strategical advantages for which it would be worth while to contend; consequently, unless one of the sides purposely seeks a pretext for dispute, there is no reason for all these alarms just at present. Unfortunately, on account of the imperfect knowledge of these facts by the public, the least doubtful news can create mischief.

The secret police has redoubled its vigilance since the occurrence of the Belgian and French disorders. These events prove that the anarchists are busy at work. It is believed here that they are preparing surprises for the Russian public. June is spoken of as having been fixed upon for these exploits, though it is not at all likely that such a movement would succeed in Russia. Commerce and industry, it is true, are at a low ebb, and numbers of manufactories have dismissed their hands; but it must be kept in mind that the Russian workman out of work has always the resource of "going home," *i.e.*, returning to his little bit of ground in the community he belongs to, where, in the very worst case, he can contrive to get his daily fare of black (rye) bread, perhaps with an onion or some salted cucumber and mushrooms for a relish. At all events, he never need die of hunger, and can live through the crisis. Besides that, he is less disposed to lend ear to the insinuations of agitators than his more civilised brothers abroad, and the propaganda of the Nihilists very seldom had success among the mass. Considering their ceaseless activity, they have done very little in their own country. A good deal is whispered about a new conspiracy discovered a few months ago, but the Nihilists of to-day have not the nerve of their predecessors; they lack the most common prudence in the choice of their confederates, and continually fall into the snares of spies. The association that could commit the atrocious act of the 1st March has no more the firmness necessary to repeat it, and it is paralysed by the universal reprobation and disgust which this crime excited, and nothing is more unlikely than that a second set of fanatics such as Risakoff, Taliaboff, and Sophia Perovsky should be found to carry infernal plans into execution. The activity of the Russian Nihilists is now disseminated in foreign countries, and maybe France and Belgium have to thank them for the present manifestations. Zola, in his novel "Germinal," has sketched one of these types in the person of Souvarine. The Nihilist is ever seeking a soil in which the seeds of his doctrines may develop, and there is every reason to believe that they will greatly contribute to the great social cataclysm which is evidently in store. The newspapers only mention the events taking place in Belgium in a casual way, giving but few details, and evidently avoiding the subject,—by order, of course, and "not to excite the public mind and put evil thoughts into people's heads,"—so that it is only by such of the foreign gazettes that escape the censure that one can have an idea of the real dimensions and importance of these manifestations.

In the report of the English consul in Erzeroum, addressed to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, concerning the commerce of that *villaiet* in 1885, are some curious passages which cannot but attract the attention of the Russians. The consul declares that a notable diminution is observable in the trade of Russian kerosene, a trade which went on briskly during the preceding years; but owing to the bad quality of the kerosene the American is now preferred. Official certificates from England, Germany, and Italy testify to the excellence of the Russian kerosene, and even to its superiority over the corresponding kinds of American mineral oil. According to these certificates its power of light is 8 per cent. stronger than that of the latter; it burns 10 per cent. longer; those qualities have won for this article a solid position on the western European markets. But it appears that all this is insufficient to persuade the Turks, and these poor and unpretending consumers are not tempted even by the cheapness of the Russian, but use the American produce, and the Americans succeed in selling their kerosene in Trabezund (so near Bakou!), to say nothing of the more remote markets of Anatolia, Roumelia, Syria, and Egypt. What is the reason of this? asks Europe. The reason is the everlasting wanderer, old Israel. "Cherchez la femme" must now be changed into "Cherchez le Juif" in all doubtful cases. The Jews and Jewish way of trading are alone to blame for this dishonour of Russian kerosene. Batoum, the focus of the export trade of this article, swarms with Jews and Armenians, not capitalists or serious men of business, but persons of the poorest and most miserable description; in short, Russian Jews, the like of which are not to be met with anywhere out of this country, and who must be seen to be believed in. These Jews, the very dregs of the commercial world, cannot trade with South-Western Europe, where a regular organisation of the business is required, because kerosene sold to England, Germany, &c., is submitted to a strict official control which ensures the interests of the buyer. Only merchandise of good quality can go through this test, and these Bakou Jews have not the possibility of preparing it, for the purification of naphtha requires chemical knowledge and properly organised factories. In Turkey there exists no control or *expertise*. Never mind what product, it will be bought and employed until experience proves it to be unfit for use. Not only do these Jews send to Turkey almost raw material without any chemical preparation whatever, but often even add water, so that in Turkey the opinion is fast spreading that the Russian kerosene is entirely worthless, and either will not burn at all or is dangerous to use. All this, however, is the fault of the careless Russian Administration that has not yet established a standard for the qualities necessary for kerosene to attain to be fit for use. Mixing the first production (naphtha, in its primitive state) with benzine, which, in Bakou, is at present thrown into the sea, it is possible to fabricate a very cheap horridly-smelling kerosene, the use of which is extremely dangerous. Half the fires in Russia are attributable to this cheap so-called Tartar kerosene, and this it is that these Jews so perseveringly trade in, to the exclusion of the proper article, now also very cheap and abundant. A sad illustration of the Jewish ardour in carrying on this illegal commerce is the telegram that came from Batoum yesterday, announcing that a schooner freighted with 15,000lb. of this Tartar kerosene was blown up in the harbour, and with it 13 men who were on board, of whom no signs remain.

This pseudo kerosene, on account of an unpardonable *lacune* in the law, can not only be fabricated in Bakou, but exported thence. The Bakou Jews use the Trans-Caucasian railway for the transport of all kinds of rubbishing products derived by ignorant hands from the abundant raw material, and with which they inundat Turkey and Egypt. The result of this is that the brilliant and well-deserved reputation of the Russian kerosene, established by the firms of the Batoum Company, Nobel Brothers, and several more, is gradually being undermined and destroyed. It is no use requiring the seal of these well-known firms; the Jews never were at a loss to imitate any trade marks on earth; the best experts fail to detect the imitation.

Kerosene is one of the articles upon which Russia builds the best hopes for the future. This commerce is steadily developing, and a project is now being discussed as to the advisability of establishing a tax on kerosene.

The Emperor and Empress are now in the Crimea, in their summer residence of Livadia, where they intend to meet the Easter feasts. Two ironclad frigates are to be launched at Sebastopol, and many members of the Imperial family and a large suite are assembled for the inauguration of these ships.

There is no foundation for the rumour that France will no longer be represented in Petersburg. The French ambassador, General Apper, has, it is true, left for Paris, but a successor to his post will be appointed as soon as the Emperor and the Minister of the Interior return from the Crimea.

HOW TO ENJOY COLD WEATHER.—Take something to warm you, and which will at the same time give you strength and vigour. Nothing will do this and keep out the cold better, and be more comforting, than a hot, fragrant cup of "Cadbury's Cocoa Essence."—[ADVT.]

OUR MELBOURNE LETTER.

MELBOURNE, JUNE 2.

Parliament has been opened with all the customary solemnities. They have been duly set forth in the newspaper reports, but it would have saved much trouble to the printers, and much time to the readers, if the practice of some medical men had been followed wherein they direct "the mixture as before." And the Governor's speech, which occupied more than a column, could have been compressed into a paragraph, by mentioning only the headings. There was a theatrical manager once in this city, and he submitted to his company a play, in which only the situations and the "business" were set down. He said it would be an affront to their intelligence to tell them what to say. The story, he thought, would suggest the language. Now, some such method might be adopted with political schemes. A skeleton plan might be offered with instructions to fill in the details at discretion. It would really obviate a great deal of unnecessary work. It is true if the Parliamentary opening ceremonial were omitted a number of probably worthy persons would lose the opportunity of exhibiting their finery. The military, for example, are made exceedingly happy on these occasions, and some ladies are also made happy in admiring and being admired by the military; and although there is very little of the quality of reverence in the Victorian youth, perhaps a few of them may be impressed with a kind of approximate awe at the sight of the Governor in his State carriage, attended by twenty mounted policemen.

As a matter of course they are now hammering away at the Address, which, in the Assembly, was moved by Mr. M'Coll, a son of the late Mr. M'Coll, and he appears to have inherited his father's fluency, without his father's boring qualities. The seconder, Mr. Groom, is a man of few words, and such men are as rare as they are consequently valuable in this part of the world. The Opposition will make up for Mr. Groom's brevity, for they have solemnly sworn they will make it exceedingly unpleasant for the Government. To this end they have sunk their differences, and elected a leader, namely, Mr. Thomas Bent; but on condition that presently he goes to England for a long period—maybe for ever. Then they will have to elect somebody else, and the fight for pre-eminence will begin again.

In the Council they are a happy family, and they have begun the session by saying all sorts of pretty things to one another. First of all, they congratulated the President on his knighthood, and he, smiling graciously upon them, expressed a hope that he would be worthy of the honour. Then, in re-electing Dr. Dobson chairman of committees, they told him how completely he had always enjoyed their confidence, whereupon he made a speech, and recounted some of the difficulties under which he had laboured in the performance of his duties, and he was beginning to set forth some of the things he contemplated doing, and which he hoped they would help him to do, when a member, in Parliamentary language, told him to "shut up," and he at once "shut up."

The electric light used for illuminating our Legislative Chambers cost, last session, it seems, £4800, and so it has been determined to go back to gas. But, the gas, from disuse probably, has become sullen; and members say they are melancholy with such an indifferent light. It is highly probable, therefore, that they will shortly insist upon going back to the electric method of illumination, no matter at what cost. And remembering how necessary it is that they should see everything in the clearest light possible, the country will not grudge them the expense.

A "stranger" in the Speaker's Gallery expressed audibly his approval of some sentiments uttered by Mr. M'Coll, and his temerity so shocked the House that they shortly afterwards adjourned. He was informed that he had narrowly escaped imprisonment for seven years, in the vaults of the Assembly; so he went straightway back to a remote place in the country where he lives, resolving not to subject himself to such a risk again. He said he had been carried away by Mr. M'Coll's eloquence.

It has been announced that the Government are about to introduce a measure for the better regulation of gaols, the object being to make the residents in those institutions more comfortable, and, therefore, more contented with their lot. It may be only a coincidence, but it is, nevertheless, true that a great many people are just now doing their best to get into gaol, and a large proportion of them are succeeding. The cold weather, however, may have something to do with this eagerness, for it is eminently unpleasant to spend the night in the open air just now. It is all very well in the summer, when night picnics are quite the opposite of unpleasant; but with the thermometer down to 38 degrees, it damps the spirits of vagrants. The gaols, consequently, are filling very fast.

Among the candidates for gratuitous board and residence, are several gentlemen of Italian nationality, who have, it appears, been conducting a hitherto profitable, if irregular, business in watches, and other negotiable articles of a portable nature. They appear to be engaged also in the ice cream industry, but as this manufacture is of necessity, for the present suspended, it was only natural that their active minds should seek other channels for industrial enterprise. It will be remembered that some months ago two persons hailing from that sunny clime were found to have combined the making of ice cream, and the larcenous appropriation of watches, and that it seemed to be a curious subject of inquiry why two pursuits so entirely different in their nature, should be found in combination. The same difficulty occurs again, and I have met nobody able to offer an explanation.

Another aspirant for the distinction of enjoying her Majesty's hospitality is an old gentleman named Dowsett. This venerable person, having lost the use of his legs, provided himself with a donkey cart, a barrel organ, and a boy. Mr. Dowsett sat in the cart and ground out excruciating tunes, while the youthful assistant collected money from bystanders in a pannikin. So long as the contributions of the public were voluntary the business proceeded without any interruption; but at last Mr. Dowsett's boy proceeded to levy tribute without solicitation. In brief, he abstracted four pounds sterling from the till of a greengrocery, while the proprietor was temporarily absent, and for this irregularity he has been invited to accept several months' retirement from public life, and his principal, to whom he handed the proceeds of this greengrocery raid, has been desired to accompany him. This episode in current social history is interesting, in that it is another demonstration of the truth of the sometimes strongly-delared belief, that musicians of the Dowsett order are nearly always doubtful in their moral principles, and fail to recognise the rights of property. It has been suggested, indeed, that no man can continue to be virtuous, who is all day listening to such maddening music as Dowsett played, and this theory is not undeserving the attention of psychologists. It was not, however, raised as a defence at the trial, and, probably, if the prisoners had had counsel, he might have influenced the jury by such a suggestion.

Of five boy-burglars just tried, three have been consigned, for limited periods, variously to prison and to the reformatory. Two have been sent home with suitable admonition. The ages of these adventurous young persons ranged from ten to fifteen, and it appeared that they were not inexperienced practitioners in the art of burgling. When next they burgle, they will bear in mind that five are too many in a partnership of this kind. One of them, perhaps more than one, is sure to betray trust, or as they have it in the vulgar, to "split," and then the murder, otherwise robbery, is out, and they are in. Evidently, the Simpson's-road murderer had no partners, for no trace whatever has been discovered of him. He keeps his own counsel, and holds his tongue. Negatively, it is satisfactory to feel that he got no money, the unfortunate victim of his outrage having paid away all his cash, so that the killing of the poor fellow was quite a useless act. Such a savage as his murderer is of course incapable of remorse, but, as he is sure to feel disappointed at having got nothing by his crime, it is a melancholy satisfaction to think that he is now reproaching himself with having managed his business so unskilfully.

Concerning the other mysterious affair, investigation into which is now proceeding, there is much speculation, but the balance of opinion is in favour of the statement made by the accused, that the old man fell out of the bedroom window and killed himself. Only, why, when lying dying upon the pavement, he should have been brutally kicked about the head, it is not so easy to explain. There is certainly no limit to the revolting practices of some men, who will inflict outrages even upon the dead in pursuance of their senseless rage. The Coroner, Dr. Youl, has himself examined the room out of which the deceased is said to have fallen, and he has expressed himself strongly, as is his wont, upon the abominable filthiness of the apartment, an apartment in an hotel, which is supposed to be periodically inspected and reported upon with reference to the way in which its lodgers are accommodated. Those who are familiar, however, with the hotels of this city, know that many of them are disgracefully dirty. The bar is made to appear showy and smart, and the parlour may pass a sort of muster, if you are not over-particular; but the bedrooms reek with accumulated dirt, and are certainly unfit for anyone with even a rudimentary sense of comfort or perception of the necessity of proper breathing space to sleep in. There is no wonder therefore that the occupant of this room got drunk in order to blunt the feeling of discomfort, and as the window had to be removed bodily in order to admit the means of respiration, he probably fell out in trying to save himself from asphyxiation. If his death should result in a more general and real inspection of hotels—so called—he will have offered himself up as a beneficial sacrifice for the common good.

The magistrates of Port Melbourne, otherwise Sandridge, have just discovered that it is their duty to put down bad language, by fining an able seaman £5 for indulging in rubescent conversation. The able seaman is considered by his friends to have been hardly dealt with, seeing that able seamen invariably use language of this kind, even in ordinary colloquies, and that it is virtually impossible for them to convey their sentiments to each other without the employment of interjectional garnishing. It is thought that in time—a very long time—they might learn to discontinue its use, but they claim that reasonable notice should be given them, and a period fixed, beyond which only penalties will be enacted. There is some talk of applying to Government for a remission of the fine, and at a caucus of A.Bs. it was urged that a public meeting ought to be called to discuss the situation. No steps, however, have as yet been taken to this latter end.

And in respect of public meetings, the contemplated Irish demonstration in the Melbourne Town Hall for the purpose of adopting a resolution of approval of Mr. Gladstone's Parnellism, has been prevented, by the rescinding of the decision of the works committee to grant the use of the hall for that purpose. Of course there is much wailing among that section of Victorians who wish to introduce here the feuds and bitterness which are so wickedly kept alive in Ireland by interested agitators; but every rightly-thinking man is glad the City Council has determined not to further the ends of persons who would compromise the colony, by making it appear that a mere clique of mischief-makers represented the opinions of the entire community. Coincidently with this attempt to discredit us in the eyes of England, there has been a meeting of the O'Connell Statue committee, and it has been resolved that the statue shall be of bronze, and not of marble—that is to say, when the money is raised. A marble statue, it is confessed, would be sure to be damaged by the boys, who fling bluestone at everything which offers itself as a mark; and as marble is a good deal more brittle than bronze, bronze has been adopted as the material. The money is not yet raised, for although there is a great deal of patriotic fervour on the subject, the subscriptions are not equal to the fervour. Meantime the Archbishop has been asked to allow the statue to be put up—when it is made—in front of that gloomy and wholly unprepossessing structure, St. Patrick's Cathedral.

The Melbourne Presbytery are at it again, meaning that they are quarrelling as usual. They always do quarrel when they meet, and as they meet every month they quarrel a good deal. This time the quarrelling appears to be principally about Mr. Scott, who has gone back to England, because he preferred a quiet life. Mr. Dods also is still a bone of contention, for the presbytery wants to know how his letter to the presbytery found its way into the newspapers. It does not seem to have occurred to the presbytery that Mr. Dods sent a copy of it to the newspapers. At last they have given the Scots Church a minister, a quiet, good young man; very orthodox, and saturated with the Westminster Confession. So now the depurated congregation will be at peace, and Dr. Morrison will be able to sit under him without being made uncomfortable by his heterodoxy negative or actual, as was the case with Mr. Dods.

POPULATION OF AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES.

We have received from Mr. H. H. Hayter a copy of the following tables, showing particulars of the population and increase of each of the Australasian colonies:—

Table I.—Showing the estimated number of persons (males and females), in each Australasian colony at the end of 1885.

Colony.	Estimated Population at end of 1885. Males.	Females.	Total.
Victoria	579,710	452,159	991,869
New South Wales	548,070	432,503	980,573
Queensland	191,450	135,466	326,916
South Australia	167,119	152,650	319,769
Western Australia... ...	19,989	15,197	35,186
Total	1,456,338	1,197,975	2,654,313
Tasmania	71,081	62,710	133,791
New Zealand*	316,025	266,395	582,420
Grand Total ..	1,843,444	1,527,080	3,370,524

* Exclusive of Maories, of whom 44,097 were enumerated at the Census of 1881.

Table II.—Showing the estimated number of persons in each Australasian colony at the end of the years 1884 and 1885, also the increase during the 12 months ended with the latter.

Colony.	Estimated Population at end of— 1884.	1885.	Increase.
Victoria	961,276	991,869	30,593
New South Wales ...	921,268	980,573	59,305
Queensland	309,913	326,916	17,003
South Australia	312,781	319,769	6,988
Western Australia ...	32,958	35,186	2,228
Total	2,538,196	2,654,313	116,117
Tasmania	130,541	133,791	3,250
New Zealand	564,304	582,420	18,116
Grand Total... ...	3,233,041	3,370,524	137,483

MOST, THE REVOLUTIONARY ANARCHIST.

Telegrams from New York state that Herr Most has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment and a fine of 500 dollars. The following telegram to the *San Francisco Bulletin*, dated May 3, will explain the cause of the prosecution of Herr Most:—

New York, May 3.—A few weeks ago *Liberty* published in Boston in the interests of individualistic Anarchists, preferred a charge of a very serious nature against the Revolutionary Anarchists of this city, who are led by John Most. The substance of these charges was given in these despatches at the time. They were in effect that the members of the International Working People's Association of New York were then plotting and practising incendiarism of the most atrocious character, under pretence of aiding the cause. No details were given nor were names mentioned against whom suspicion might be directed. It was asserted that their duty consisted in insuring household property and firing it, in order to collect indemnification money, to be contributed to the Revolutionary fund, as well as to be used for private purposes. The editor of *Liberty* declared that his object in publishing the charges was to secure bona-fide anarchists against any stigma that might attach to them from the criminal deeds of unscrupulous men who advocate doctrines and commit crimes wholly at variance with the philosophers of individualism. The *Sun* this morning says that ever since these charges were made it has been investigating the matter, and now gives the results of its labours. John Most, of course, made a denial of the charges, and in attempting to verify his denial discloses a peculiar condition of things in anarchistic circles. There is internal dissension and discord, or rather there was, for a considerable number of the hundred or so members of the International Working People's Association has withdrawn from it. The cause of secession lies in the facts which led *Liberty* to make its charges of incendiarism and rascality. These facts, which have been gleaned after considerable difficulty, show that leading members of the International Working People's Association have been remarkably unlucky men in connection with most extraordinary doctrines. The curious fires from which these gentlemen have suffered are interesting. They have all originated in the upsetting, breaking, or exploding of kerosene lamps, and have resulted in more or less damage to the property of others than Anarchists, and in the collection of more or less insurance money each time by persons in whose apartments the fires occurred. The *Sun* then publishes a long list of Anarchists whose worldly goods have been destroyed by fire. All have been so fortunate as to secure ample insurance a few days before the kerosene lamp exploded.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.—Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold in ½-lb. packets, by grocers, labelled thus—James Epps and Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London, England.—[ADVT.]

TRADES AND LABOUR SOCIETIES.

XII.—BOOT TRADE UNION.

Mr. William White, secretary of the New South Wales Amalgamated Operative Boot Trade Union, furnishes us with the following information:—The union has been established two years, and this is the end of the eighth quarter. It was brought into existence in consequence of the strike at Mr. Hunter's factory in Bullanaming-street, Redfern. It was then attempted to make 1s. reduction on men's first-class light elastic-side boots. A number of men were taken in to work against those who went out, and nearly all of those who went out found work elsewhere, with the exception of two or three who went back. It was *not* a victory for the men; and during the continuation of the strike the union was formed. Its objects are for protecting and securing to its members the full possession and enjoyment of all rights, rules, customs, and privileges of the trade; to establish branches throughout the colony; to create a central fund for the support and advancement of wages, and, as far as practicable, of a uniform rate of wages for the same class of work throughout the union; to abolish assistants, and control the system of apprentices; to assist members to travel in search of employment; to introduce industrial co-operation into the trade; to use all legitimate means for the moral, social, educational, and political advancement of its members; to raise funds for the burial of deceased members and their wives; to establish a system of intercommunication with the boot trade of other colonies; to resist every act of injustice; to repel any attack upon its present position, to ameliorate the condition, and advance the general interests of the trade. The union has initiated 807 members, and has lost about thirty members, who have gone to other colonies, and it has now between 500 and 600 financial members. There is a large number of people in the trade who do not belong to the society. According to the last *Statistical Register*, there were 68 boot manufactories, each employing not fewer than six hands, in the colony, the number of male hands employed being 1871, and of females 418, making a total of 2289 persons engaged in the trade. The rules of the union admit women to the society, but at the present time there are no female members. Females are admitted on payment of an entrance fee of not less than sixpence, and a weekly contribution of not less than threepence per week, receiving one-half of the benefits payable to males in all cases. The union includes the greatest number of employees of any trade in the colony, and the society has been instrumental for good. In all cases of dispute, when any attempt has been made to reduce wages, it has been stopped by meeting the employers in an amicable manner. There have been three such cases in which the society successfully opposed the reduction without having to recur to strikes. The society is about considering the question of time. The employers have been visited on one or two occasions, and have stated their willingness to accept a uniform "statement" on a fair basis, the word "statement" being a technical term meaning a statement of prices for piecework. In Melbourne, the secretary says, the people are 25 per cent. ahead of the people here in wages; in Dunedin (New Zealand) 30 per cent.; in Adelaide, between the two, about 27 per cent.; in Auckland, about the same as in Melbourne. The difference is attributed to the action of protective duties. The state of the trade is indifferent, and has been so for the last 12 or 15 months. This is attributed as a primary cause to the great influx from foreign markets, and secondly, no doubt, to the terrible droughts and the general depression of the time. The number of boot manufactories, employing not fewer than six hands, in the colony in 1880 was 75; in 1881, 71; in 1882, 62; in 1883, 61; and in 1884, 68; and some of the factories are as well fitted up here as in any part of the world as regards machinery. Machinery is employed for both making and finishing. The members of the union work nine hours on an average, and half a day on Saturdays; but we can work from 8 till 1 o'clock on Saturdays, 8 to 6 on other days. "Saint Monday" is not worshipped so much as formerly, and the men have to work harder now than then, because in times gone by they obtained better wages. Saint Crispin is not honoured as he used to be, for, as a rule, the men cannot afford it. Respect to him is "more honoured in the breach than in the observance." It is all piece-work, with few exceptions. When men are on weekly wages for £2 10s. a week they do £3 worth of work, and so on. They thus really work under price, which is damaging to the workmen as a body. The men believe in piece-work as the fairest. There are in the trade what are called "slaves," that is, persons who work all day with their heads down, and take only a few minutes for dinner, at the very most half an hour—they go on, ding dong, all day. They are not to be considered a fair gauge of the labour qualifications. There are phenomenal men, like Beach and Hanlan, and who earn sometimes £3 to £3 15s. per week, but in many cases, after working five or six weeks, they go on the "burst" for a week or a fortnight. The average wage at one factory, which is as good a factory as any for earning money, is £1 10s. to £2 10s. and upwards, those beyond £2 10s. being very exceptional; but the average wage per week would probably be £2 2s. 6d. These are all full-time men, and the average is based on wages actually paid about two months ago. A great many boys are employed at finishing in some shops. In one shop the finishers employ boys to help them. The idea is that if they had not these boys, they would not be able to make a living. Girls are engaged in the clickers' department in the making of uppers. The clicker is the man who cuts out the uppers, which are then taken to the girls to sew and fit and put together. Generally, the work is suitable for girls, but the sewing of kip uppers is work more suitable for men. Some of them are on piece-work, and some on day-work. Some first-class machinists earn large wages. The whole of the sewing is done by machinery, except in special cases when superior kip uppers are "closed" by hand, in which case they are sewn with waxends; but there is a man specially appointed for that. It is believed that many of the girls and boys employed are under school age, and do not know enough, educationally, to be taken from school. Truant inspectors sometimes visit these *establishments*, and there was one instance within his recollection in which an officer was kept waiting until the youngest of the girls and boys had been sent out for an airing; and when he was admitted, of course, no children under the age of 14 were found to be present. There is a separation of the sexes during working hours, but the factory association is not calculated to improve them. In some cases men have their own children with them to help them to earn their living, but in many cases men would certainly object to putting their children in the factories or at the trade. The sweating system is carried on to a great extent. The work is given out in grosses, and taken away in carts and barrows. It is done at 1s. and 1s. 6d., under the usual piece-work prices per dozen. The way they do this work is to get a number of boys to help them, and thus keep men out of employment, as that work, if done in the factories, would keep so many more hands at constant work. The great evil of the system is having these boys to help the men. They work late and early. They earn large wages, but one man invariably gets the credit of earning them when there are really three or four persons contributing towards the result. Most of the finishing is now done inside the factories; in other cases the wives of workmen assist. At present the apprenticeship system is not satisfactory; it is anything but satisfactory. In the case of persons seeking employment, the union gives them £2 to assist them on their way, that is of course, if the circumstances of the case warrant its being done. In the event of the death of any person who has been a member for 12 calendar months, and being good on the books of the society at the time, his wife or nominee is allowed £6 in case of his death, and any member having belonged to the union for two years is entitled to an additional £2, and the same for every year until it reaches £20, on production of a certificate from the registrar, a certificate of marriage, or an affidavit before a justice of the peace on proof of marriage. On the death of a member's wife, the member, upon production of similar evidence, is entitled to receive £8. And the union provides a decent funeral for any member having neither wife nor nominee. In the case of any member dying suddenly before having been twelve months on the society's books, the union has power to grant any sum not exceeding £5 to his wife or nominee; female machinists to receive half these allowances. Any member who is the sole support of a widowed mother receives the same amount at her death as in the case of a member's wife; but no member is entitled to receive benefit for a second wife under three years from the time the first benefit is received, and the same principle applies to a single member who may marry after receiving benefit on the death of a mother. The last quarterly balance-sheet of the society shows a credit balance of £246. Since the inauguration of the union it has paid away the following sums in support of strikes:—To the Melbourne lock-out, £118 10s.; Lambton miners, £106; Dunedin strike, £30; Auckland strike, £20. Total, £274. The Melbourne lock-out was over the sweating system, which was settled mostly in favour of the men, who got three points out of five, namely,—1. The restriction of the sweating system. 2. An absolute denial of the rights of employers to demand certificates of character from artisans and mechanics. 3. The maintenance of the principle that the unions in their corporate capacity have the proper power to appoint such of their officers and members as they think fit to mediate, arbitrate, and dispose of by any lawful means any question concerning their own welfare. The union has dispensed in charities, in the form of bequests, and subscriptions, £58 19s. 6d., besides £12 in funeral benefits. During from four to six weeks of the year many of the trade are idle from want of continuous work, and many hands are paid off in the various factories; but this year it has been greater than previously. The men are willing to leave the trade whenever they can get a chance of turning their attention to other things. The following are the officers of the union:—Mr. Robert Irvine, president; Mr. Wm. F. Spencer, vice-president; Mr. Charles Williams, treasurer; Mr. Wm. P. White, financial secretary; Mr. A. Richardson, assistant; Messrs. Hugh Lander, Hugh M'Evoy, and John Breen, trustees. The union employs a collector at £2 5s. per week to collect the subscriptions of members.

THE HOLT CASE.

(*From the Bathurst Times, June 4.*)

At the Bathurst Quarter Sessions not long ago, a friendless man was arraigned on a charge of passing bogus cash orders purporting to be issued by a firm of railway contractors. The entire amount involved was not over £20; but there were four distinct charges against him, and he was sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment. At the Criminal Court, Sydney, the defaulting bank manager, Holt, who used to have troops of friends, was brought up for making away with some thousands of pounds, and more serious accusations against him were withdrawn on his pleading guilty to simple larceny of a cheque. Had he been punished for all his offences, he would have suffered imprisonment for 15 years: as it is he is incarcerated for four years—a term which in the natural order of gaol affairs will, ere it has been reached, be reduced by some months. The incidence of the sentence passed upon the clumsy labourer who uttered forged cash orders for a few pounds, and that passed on the polished swindler who for a time was a leader in society, is not alike, inasmuch as the sense of moral degradation may not be as intense, or the loss of position quite so keenly felt in both; but in the presence of the law all men should be equal, and in Holt's case there has certainly been a miscarriage of justice, and there are grounds for the suspicion that the pressure brought to bear by sympathisers has borne fruit. Holt did a great deal for the institutions with which he was connected. He, to a great extent, built them up, and established their prosperity; but in proportion as he was successful, the trust reposed in him became more implicit, and, therefore, his breach of that trust was all the more heinous. He seems to have fallen a victim to an epidemic of fiduciary frauds, which first broke out in South Australia; and he sinned at a time when the colonial commercial world was crying out for a deterrent example. Instead, however, of the punishment of his crime being exemplary, it has been merely nominal, and the lesson which should have been imparted to others, with him as an instrument, has not been taught. Holt's sentence ought to have been such as would convince people in positions of trust that personal popularity and influence will not exempt them from the full consequences of their misdeeds. On the contrary, it has been declared that the worst of all misdoing—*the breach of faith* after that faith has been built up—is to be condoned because of that very past career which has afforded opportunities to a delinquent to rob on a large scale. Holt should have been sacrificed to the affirmation of a great moral principle; he has, instead, escaped because he did not sin till his opportunity was ripe. Had he not had his chances, he would probably never have been in the prisoners' dock, and the enormity of his offence was increased by the fact that no one doubted him. As a personal matter, Holt's sentence is a severe one, for his social fall is irremediable; but this is not the point. His crime is great, inasmuch as the trust reposed in him was great; and, therefore, his punishment should have been adequate to it. Fiduciary frauds are largely on the increase, and it needs *the strong repressive action* of the law to keep them in check; but to allow private considerations to hinder justice is to place a premium on such offences.

RABBITS AND MARSUPIALS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The Minister for Mines having taken action in calling tenders for wire-netting for rabbit-proofing certain fencing on railway lines, I venture to particularise some information gleaned from your columns during the last few months with the view of questioning the expediency of such action, and the unlimited amount of money likely to be required, without the express vote of Parliament being called as to its desirability and the present state of the finances.

£100,000 is now proposed to be spent in fixing netting between Dubbo and Bourke. Taking for granted that rabbits have not yet reached that far, on the erection of the fence its cost will be immediately nullified by any evil-disposed or interested parties putting a couple of does in young on the wrong side of the fence. Last year 15 million rabbit-skins were sent from New Zealand and Australia and sold in the London market; but I have found no record in your columns of one single skin having been marketed from a New South Wales rabbit. From one station in New Zealand 300,000 skins were sent, and fetched from 4d. to 6d. per skin, which more than paid the cost of their catch. Meat-preserving establishments in Victoria were until lately at work in converting their carcases into palatable food, but some are now shut down owing to the bunnies being poisoned with grain instead of being trapped; their skins can still be utilised, as I am informed by a man who was at this game in New Zealand, who said he made a good cheque at a small weekly wage, rations, and 2d. per skin, as they die out in the open. The officials in our rabbit department appear to pay for ears, not skins, thus losing what would reimburse them.

Regarding marsupials, large kangaroo skins are fetching as high as 85s. per dozen, *i.e.*, 7s. 1d. each. These startling figures bring up the idea that kangaroo and rabbit farming would pay better than sheep at the present depressed prices of wool, and the statements of some of your correspondents that sheep farming does not pay.

The proposed expenditure for wire netting very nearly approaches the rent paid by the pastoral lessees, and from the general howl set up by these gentlemen at the righteous increase of their rentals, proposed by the Hon. Henry Copeland, Minister for Lands, of twopence per acre and over, according to position, nature of soil, proximity to railway, &c., one would imagine they want the land for nothing. In the past the squatters have grossly abused the privilege granted them by overstocking and continuous use of the land for sheep pastures, which has been proved, in other countries, to cause barrenness. The State has a fair ground of action against the squatters for deteriorating the value of Crown lands through these abuses. In private affairs, if a tenant injures the building he rents he is liable to be sued by the landlord for the amount of damage done. The proposal of Sir John Robertson to pay remuneration for improvements on 15 years' leases was justly scouted, that term being sufficiently long to work out the improvements in profits. If a man takes a building lease in Sydney he calculates that at the end of his term his speculation should pay him handsomely, and is prepared to hand over the buildings he erected thereon in good condition. The main objection by the people to rabbit fencing in such a wholesale manner is that it practically encloses the country, and bars it against settlement: instead of being more roads, there will be fewer; a very good thing for the squatter, but most decidedly against the interests of a nation, which has a desire to see its fair acres occupied by an industrious population, which must keep open its facilities for mutual intercourse and travel. The time has arrived when it is a positive stigma on a nation that it requires eight acres of its land to feed a sheep; this is barbarism, not civilisation. The land must be, and can be brought into proper productiveness by sowing grasses. Look at the estate of Bodalla. The late T. S. Mort, by judicious clearing and sowing of grass seed, brought large areas under profitable grazing, and made its one time barren lands bring in a profit of £25,000 a year. And, while on this subject, I may ask does it not seem ridiculous that with our millions of cattle we have to get our supply of milk from a place like Switzerland, where the cattle can graze outside but six months in the year. In 1883 the Anglo-Swiss Dairying Company condensed the milk of 20,000 cows, and sold 25,000,000 tins of milk. In same year England imported 116,635 tons of butter, value £11,000,000, and cheese to same value. In the British Isles the capital invested in dairying industry is £1,000,000,000, of which sum £90,000,000 represents the value of the land—("Extracts from British Dairy Farming, by James Long.") No wonder they laugh at us at the "Colonies" Exhibition, when, with all our natural resources, about the only manufactured product we can shew is a couple of tins of blacking. It ought not to be many years when, with water-conservation and irrigation, small estates will be able to produce more wool, hides, and tallow than can now be raised on the recklessly made barren wastes of our interior.

I am, &c.,
SUFFOLK.

Referring to a proposed exhibition in New York in 1889, the *Scientific American* says:—It was in the year 1789 that the Constitutional Government of the United States was established, with Washington as its Chief Executive. The inauguration of the first President was celebrated in the city of New York. As this ceremony ushered in what will probably always be regarded as the greatest century vouchsafed to the nation, it has seemed highly fitting that its centennial should be commemorated by suitable observances in the same city which saw the birth of the new republic. It has therefore been proposed by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee that such a celebration should be held in 1889 in the city of New York, and that it should take the form of a great National and International Exhibition of Science, Art, Industry, Manufactures, and the agricultural, mineral, and other resources of the United States, since this would seem to be the most fitting memorial of the intellectual and material progress made by a young people under a century of popular government.

IMPORTANT MEETING IN THE PASTORAL INTEREST.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

BREWARRINA, Saturday.

A public meeting was held last night at the School of Arts, at the instance of traders and representatives of the labouring community, to take action with the view of co-operating with the pastoral and homestead lessees in their efforts to obtain equitable rentals. Mr. R. R. Machattie occupied the chair. The meeting was of a representative character, and was attended by the whole of the business people of the town, and also by a large number of mechanics and labourers.

The Chairman, in opening the meeting, said that the graziers had reason to fear that their rentals were fixed at rates which were too high for the land to bear. If the Minister decided to adhere to the Act in its integrity in the matter of rents, there would undoubtedly be large tracts of country thrown up. The graziers were already taxed in many ways, as, besides rentals, they had marsupial, sheep, and other assessments to pay. The pastoral lessees had formed themselves into an association with the object of endeavouring to obtain the Minister's leniency, and the homestead lessees had also done the same, and had decided to co-operate with the former in every possible way. (Applause.) Having decided to send delegates to Sydney, the present meeting was for the purpose of supporting the action of these two classes of crown lessees by a public expression of opinion from those not directly interested in the land, in favour of moderate rents and compensation improvements. Brewarrina was one of the largest pastoral, and certainly the largest homestead district in the colony, and therefore it was not a little affected by the fate of the graziers. Working men especially should assist in this matter. He had seen scores of starving men wandering from station to station, vainly asking for work, and, in the absence of that, begging for rations. The demands from this source had now reached such dimensions as to prove a serious call upon the stations, and compelling many of them to shut their stores and refuse rations. Merchants, hotelkeepers, and all other business people agreed that they suffered from the pastoral depression, and until wool rose they were bound to suffer; but it was a bad policy for the state to handicap its main industry.

Mr. E. Rich (of Rich and Co., general merchants) proposed the first resolution, as follows:—"That in justice to all local interests, it is desirable that this meeting urge upon the Minister of Lands before finally fixing the rents of pastoral and homestead lessees, to consider the present depressed state of trade, and therefore to arrange such rentals as will enable all pastoralists and others to employ labour, and thus assist the working classes as well as traders to develop the country." He said that all present must know that the interests of the lessees were the interests of the general public, no matter whether they were engaged in trade or gaining a livelihood by labour. When those engaged in grazing were prospering there was ample employment and trade was brisk, but when drought or other causes depressed the pastoralists, then all felt the pinch. He admitted that the country was in a bad way, and wanted funds; but it was suicidal to tax in an oppressive manner the principal industry of the country. He deemed the views which prevailed in Sydney as the result rather of a want of local knowledge than of any desire to injure either class or country. He was glad to see such numbers present, as it served to prove the general interest that was taken in the matter, especially by a large number of working men, whose presence was a palpable evidence of the truth of his remarks.

Mr. S. Davis, hotelkeeper, seconded the motion. He said as a business man he could testify to the depression which set in with the new Land Bill, and before the full effects of the drought had had time to assert themselves.

In response to numerous invitations Mr. F. J. Sherwin, of Nullana, addressed the meeting. He thanked those present for the enthusiastic manner in which they were endeavouring to help the pastoralists. He need not tell those who had a practical knowledge of the district how serious matters were for those who had spent many years in improving the country. During the past few years they had had no increase, not to speak of direct losses, and hence they had no surplus stock to dispose of. On top of this wool had fallen so low that it was very questionable if it would pay to grow it. Then, again, improvements were not paid for by the incoming man, and hence the security had lessened, as under the old *régime* the squatter going out of a run received payment for these. He was not grumbling at the new Act, as he had come under it voluntarily, but he instanced this to show the disabilities they had to contend against. We were glad to welcome the homestead lessees heartily as a desirable class, but it must be admitted that those who had given capital for the goodwill of runs, and had spent money in the employment of labour to improve national estate, bought the land utterly unproductive and about to be taxed, and they were being somewhat hardly dealt with in the threatened imposition of higher rentals. The working-men must know that immediately on the introduction of the Land Bill, all improvements stopped long before the drought rendered such action necessary. The Act completely debarred improvements. This was detrimental to working man, hundreds of whom were now out of employment. Many a time his heart felt sore at seeing the poor fellows come up to the station with hunger in their faces and their boots falling off their feet, with the same old story of a dearth of work. He could say for himself and his neighbours generally that the supplying of rations to such travellers was now becoming a serious item, owing to their numbers. He would like to hear some of the working men present express their views. He felt sure they were willing to side with a fair thing for the pastoralists, who should at least, after a heavy drought, have time to turn round to recruit their wasted resources by a continuation of their leases at the present rentals. The pastoral lessees' delegate was proceeding to Sydney, and he would work in conjunction with the homestead lessees' delegate and the representatives of kindred associations. He hoped they would join in a united effort, and, for once in the history of New South Wales, combine in an effort to fight against the last straw that threatened to break the back of the pastoralists. Surely no one desired to hunt the pastoralists out of the colony, but that would be the case if additional imposts were laid on them, especially at a time like the present, when they were hardly able to struggle along with the existing burdens.

Mr. H. Burton, homestead lessee, said that what intensified the rentals on homesteads was the fact that they had to pay full rent for stock routes, often a mile wide, running through blocks, while they gained no benefit from grass growing thereon, as the travelling stock consumed it.

The motion was put, and carried unanimously.

Mr. R. J. Kelly moved the second resolution, authorising and requesting Mr. Rich to sign a petition to the Minister embodying the first resolution, on behalf of the townspeople of Brewarrina. He said he had been a resident of over 20 years, during which time he had learnt enough to convince him that the present burdens of the pastoralists were quite enough. He thought that if the matter were placed before Ministers and the country in a proper manner, the rents would not be fixed at exorbitant rates in the face of the drought and the low prices in the wool and stock markets. If viewed in its true light, the interests of the pastoralists were the interests of the country generally.

Mr. F. Murphy, solicitor, seconded the motion.

Mr. Andrew Roper said he had been a contractor for many years, and speaking on behalf of many contractors present he could say the resolutions were quite in accordance with their feelings. The depression had reduced the working men and business men to extremities, and without doubt much of the local depression was due to the present Land Act. The graziers should have a chance to recover, and by so doing give the working men an opportunity to ply their trades by which they gained their living.

The resolution was carried.

A vote of thanks to the chairman terminated the meeting, which was characterised by much earnestness throughout.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

BOURKE, Saturday.

Eleven thousand store sheep are travelling up the Paroo to Aramac—Armstrong Brothers. The following have been trucked to Sydney:—318 fats, from Mount Howitt; 350 from Mount Margaret.

COBAR, Saturday.

The leases for four Government tanks were offered for sale by auction to-day, the leases being for five years. Two were sold at Kerrigundi and Booroondara at £50 each.

WILCANNIA, Saturday.

The following stock movements are reported:—2400 fat wethers, from Frome's Creek, for Victorian markets, passed the 26-mile tank on the 2nd instant. The following have passed Cobham during the week:—600 head of store cattle, from Palparar station, for Melbourne, via Wilcannia—Hay Bros., owners; 360 fats, from Welford Downs, for Adelaide—Elder, Pegler, and Co., owners; 303 fats, from Wambundery station, Cooper's Creek, for Adelaide—J. Blakemore, owner, consigned to E. Laughton and Co.; 254 fats, from Welford Downs, for Adelaide—Elder, Pegler, and Co.

The Mayor, Mr. W. F. Stanbury, has convened a public meeting to protest against the excessive rental being imposed on pastoral and homestead lessees. The meeting is to be held on the 10th instant.

CIRCULAR QUAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Kindly give me space to ventilate a grievance under which North Shore residents are unjustly burdened. I allude to the disgraceful condition of the crossing at Circular Quay in wet weather. We have to wade through such a scene of mud and filth as would appear incredible in these times.

The North Shore Improvement Committee (now defunct) waited upon the Minister of the time—two years ago—and were informed that a cube crossing was unnecessary, as the whole quay was to be laid down in asphalt and wooden blocks. Time has rolled on, and the disgusting nuisance still exists. Travellers by all the harbour ferry boats are just as badly off, and it is really time a strong protest was made.

I am, &c.,
LADIES' FRIEND.
June 4.

THE HUME FARMERS' UNION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondent.)

ALBURY, Sunday.

A meeting of the Hume Farmers' Union was held last night. Mr. W. Zueck, vice-president, occupied the chair. The first business dealt with was that of considering the Government taxation proposals.

Mr. Brown spoke at some length in condemnation of the course pursued by the Government in omitting breadstuffs from the list of dutiable articles. The farmers were expected to pay duty on everything they consumed, and yet they were subjected to competition with the other colonies and with all the outside world. The farmers did not want protection, but only to be placed on the same footing as all other people. The statement that the poor man's loaf would be taxed was nonsense, as there was really in this country no class who would be appreciably injured by the tax. The statement concerning the advantages resulting from free trade in England was beside the question, inasmuch as there was no parallel in the two cases. In England there was a dense population on a small area, whilst here there was an enormous area sparsely peopled. Moreover, when free trade was introduced into England, her industries were already developed, and her manufactures firmly established. He did not see the necessity for new taxation, but, if necessary, it should be by specific duties, including a duty on cereals. There was, however, plenty of room for retrenchment in the Civil Service, and if the pruning-knife could be applied there, the necessity for resorting to the Custom House would disappear. The speaker, in the course of some further remarks, referred to alleged instances of extravagance on the part of the Government, and he concluded by moving the following resolution:—"That taking into consideration the fact that all available foreign markets are closed against New South Wales agricultural products by protective tariffs, the placing of agricultural products on the free list of imports in submitting fresh taxation is a cruel blow for the agricultural population, and is likely to ruin hundreds of farmers with large families; will prostrate the whole of the agricultural industry of the colony; and conveys to foreign producers the rights and privileges to which they have no just claim, and which they are not likely to reciprocate; that this meeting most indignantly protests against a tariff so unjust in its incidence to the farming population."

Mr. W. Wiesner seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

A letter was read from the Germanton Progress Committee inviting the co-operation of the union in the agitation against the land tax, but in favour of ad valorem duties.

Mr. W. Schilo moved,—"That this meeting approves of the land tax and of a fixed duty on cereals, but objects to ad valorem duties."

Mr. G. Kleeske seconded the motion, which was carried.

The meeting then proceeded to consider the proposal for the subdivision of the Hume electorate. Several members spoke in favour of the proposal, pointing out that the electorate was very large and very costly to canvass, and that the interests of certain parts conflicted with the interests of other parts. In the course of the discussion it was shown that the electorate from east to west measured 150 miles. It was decided to support the agitation for the proposed division, the railway line being suggested as the line separating the eastern portion from the western.

The proceedings closed with the following resolution, which was carried unanimously on the motion of Mr. B. Odewahn, seconded by Mr. W. Wiesner,—"That a vote of confidence in both members for the Hume be recorded by the Union, and that Mr. Hayes be specially thanked for his action in endeavouring to induce the Government to place an import duty on cereals."

HOMESTEAD LEASES.

(From the Riverina Recorder.)

We can recollect the number of speeches made in our Assembly advocating an equitable Land Act, and drawing the most beautiful pictures of smiling farms and rural homes. But if our legislators desired such ideals to be other than imaginary, more especially as regards this western portion of the colony, they have gone entirely at variance with their cherished fancies; while the extraordinary decisions of the land boards in appraising rentals in the western division of the colony have met with general disapproval both from pastoral and homestead lessees. And the board, which closed its sittings at the local court-house last Saturday near midnight, after sitting from Tuesday morning, the 18th, taking all that time to dispose of about 29 cases, can now be referred to as to its excessive appraisement of rentals. We can only regret the waste of time occupied in examining applicants and witnesses as to matters quite irrelevant to the subjects at issue. Further, some of the members of the board, by their objectionable questions, seem to look upon homestead lease applicants as deserving of scant courtesy. But anyone to casually look at the class of men as they step into the witness box, must see that they are the sort of men we ought to encourage to take up land, determined practical fellows. But we are not alone in our opinion as to boards, as complaints from all parts of the colony can be read as to the peculiar manner of conducting inquiries, and of decisions given entirely opposed to evidence received, as to the quality of country, &c. And we believe great injustice will be committed towards pastoralists and homestead lessees, who are taking up land in this district, by the responsible heads in Sydney, who, through want of a knowledge of the country, would not commit such injustice if they were aware of the facts in relation to the capabilities and carrying capacities of the land in this portion of the Western division. The rentals fixed by the local land board on Saturday evening have given wide-spread feelings of alarm to all in this district. And by what means the board arrived at their decision in assessing the value of the country out back from Balranald, at 2¼d. per acre, is one of those things we are perfectly at a loss to comprehend. Evidence of more than ordinary importance was given as to small rainfall, number of sheep to the acre, absence of grass, uselessness of water by well-sinking, and other serious drawbacks, by thoroughly competent and disinterested individuals, and we can only refer our readers to Mr. Tyson's evidence on the subject, which appears in our columns; and again, the existing state of the wool market, and the fact that the rainfall in this district is less than in any other portion of the colony, also the great distance from permanent water and railway communication, not to say anything about the rabbit pest. All these most important points should have received the earnest consideration of the board. The fall in the price of wool alone is really a national disaster, and it may be possible that this fact is not realised as it should be, as since the minimum rent has been fixed, that staple industry has been reduced in price by more than one-third of its previous value. Under all these circumstances, we affirm that special concessions ought to be made to homestead lease applicants in this western division of New South Wales. But it strangely appears to us that the ways of land boards are "wonderful and passing strange" in their relation to homestead lessees; they are hampered and handicapped as no other class are. It will be seen from our report of a meeting of lessees held last Monday in Balranald, that it was unanimously affirmed that if the high rentals fixed by the board are insisted on, numbers of leases will be thrown up, as it would be perfectly impossible to carry on the land at such excessive rentals. We do not deny that the present Land Act is an improvement on his predecessors, but we do say that it requires a large number of its clauses amended so that appeals and appraisements should not be altogether one-sided. Take, for instance, clause 100, in reference to appeals. Thus, it appears, that no appeal can be made if the rent is fixed over the minimum. Surely that could never have been meant by the draughtsmen of the bill, as it seems to us to be a proviso of a very absurd nature, and leaves loopholes that may seriously endanger the main principles of the act in its intention to settle a population on the land. We are glad to see that steps are being taken by forming associations in the various centres of the western portion of the colony for mutual help and protection of the general interests of pastoral and homestead lessees. The remedies for their grievances should be met at once by agitation in bringing pressure to bear on the Minister for Lands in Sydney.

BALMAIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

On Saturday afternoon the new Sabbath School and Lecture Hall in connection with the Balmain Presbyterian Church was formally opened, in the presence of a large gathering. The Rev. James Cosh, M.A., presided, and there were also upon the platform the Revs. Dr. Steel, R. H. Paterson, Collie, M.A., Frackleton, Colin Stuart, Gardiner, M.A. (Moderator), A. G. Fry (Congregationalist), Graham (of Crossgates, Scotland), Messrs. Kethel and Hyam, Ms.L.A., and others. The Dedication Hymn, No. 516, was sung, and prayer having been offered by the Rev. Mr. Collie, M.A., the chairman delivered an address in advocacy of the claims of Sabbath Schools. Mr. John Kirkland read the building committee's statement. This showed that in June last the erection of the new building was first mooted, and in July a committee was appointed who approved of the plans of Mr. J. B. Spencer, of Sydney, and tenders were accepted for a building to cost about £1400. The chief part of the work was done by Messrs. Turner and Bashford for £1275; to which amount had to be added £102 cost of pews; dwarf wall and rail, £45, which with furniture, fittings, &c., would bring the total cost up to about £1540. The design is Gothic. The main hall is 65 feet long, 35 wide, 31 feet high from floor to ridge-pole, and the building will seat 350 persons, in addition to accommodating upwards of 80 on the platform. The lower hall will seat 70, and it, with two large rooms behind the platform, completes the building. "Tobin" flues provide capital ventilation, the lighting arrangements have been well seen to, and, as a whole, the new building is extremely substantial and ornate, and it will supply a long-felt want in the locality. Addresses were delivered by the chairman, the Moderator, the Rev. Dr. Steel, and by Mr. A. Kethell, M.L.A., with respect to Sabbath School work, and the need for its encouragement. £73 2s. 10d. was realised by a collection, and after the singing of anthems, and prayer, the proceedings were closed with the pronouncing of the Benediction by the Rev. Dr. Steel.

LAW REPORT.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—Saturday, June 5.

SURRENDERS.

John Joseph Murphy, labourer, of Buckwaroon. Liabilities, £367 14s. Assets, £329. Mr. S. Lyons, official assignee.

William Dutton (only partner in the firm Dutton and Harris, of Newcastle, storekeepers), praying that the estate of Dutton and Harris, a company having assets, may be sequestrated for the benefit of the creditors thereof. Liabilities, £231 17s. 2d. Assets, £87 2s. 4d. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee. Schedule and statement in the separate estate of W. R. Dutton to be filed by the 15th instant.

Henry William Pegler, publican, of Wentworth, now out of business. Liabilities, £2231 17s. 5d. Assets, £1534 6s. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—Saturday.

(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Faucett.)

THE WEXFORD-STREET CASE.

The jury who had on Friday heard the evidence adduced in support of the charge brought against *Walter Laidlaw*, of having slain Mary Rose, and who, in consequence of not being able to arrive at a verdict, had been detained at the Courthouse, were, at 10 o'clock this morning, called into the court room. The foreman then reported that they had not agreed as to a verdict, that even if they were detained for any longer period it was not likely that they would agree, and that the Judge could not in any way help them to arrive at a conclusion.

His Honor then said that the jury having been there for considerably more than 12 hours, he was now able to discharge them from further attendance so far as that case was concerned.

Mr. Willshire (a gentleman who is serving articles in the office of the Crown Solicitor) said that, in the absence of any instructions from the Attorney-General, he would ask his Honor to remand the prisoner.

His Honor expressed his astonishment at finding that neither the Attorney-General nor the Crown Prosecutor was present. He did not know what to do with the prisoner. There was no representative of the Crown there to make any application or to inform the Court what was to be done with the accused. There were several other cases with which he was about to deal by calling up the prisoners for sentence, but he would not proceed in the absence of any representative of the Crown.

Mr. Willshire expressed his willingness to go in quest of some gentleman who could represent the Crown.

His Honor: Am I to be kept waiting here? I said I would be here about 10 o'clock this morning, and yet no one to represent the Crown is here, and it is now a quarter-past 10 o'clock. I do not know what to do with this man. I do not know whether there is any other charge against him; there is no one here to proceed against him.

Mr. Willshire: An information has, your Honor, been filed against him.

His Honor: What have I to do with that? There is no one here to prosecute. In the meantime the other cases must stand over till Monday.

After further consideration, his Honor remanded the prisoner Laidlaw until Monday.

CRIMINAL AND CIVIL CASES.

The Central Criminal Court and the Court of Quarter Sessions will occupy the courtrooms at Darlinghurst to-day; and to-morrow civil causes will be taken in the same building. The only case remaining to be disposed of by the Criminal Court to-day is the charge of stealing stores from the Civil Service Co-Operative Company, brought against Hald and Dolby. The cases set down for trial to-day at the Quarter Sessions are:—Patrick Henderson, larceny; Ellen Conrad and another, robbery; Henrietta Beattie and another, stealing from the person; Renton Bridges, indecent assault.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Monday, June 7.

Banco Court.—Barney v. Berry and others (part heard), National Mutual Life Assurance Company v. Johnston, Suttor v. Moore, Preston v. Jones.

Jury Court.—Commissioner for Railways v. Somers, Wilson and others v. Douglas, Pyrmont Brewery Company v. Doyle, M'Burney v. North Shore Steam Ferry Company.

Chamber List, at 9.30 a.m.—The New York Life Insurance Company v. Coats; in re Thomas Waterhouse.

Prothonotary's Office.—Evans v. Sung Chong, 10; Rutherford v. Rees, 10.30; Jobson v. Douglas, 11; Federal Bank v. Kretchman, 11.30; Connelly v. Betts, half-past 2 p.m.

In Equity.—At 11 a.m., before his Honor the Primary Judge: Bowman and others v. M'Donald and others (for judgment), Akins v. Jarrett and another (part heard), Brown v. Brown and others (hearing).

Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m., Proudfoot v. A. J. S. Bank (to settle minutes); at 11 a.m., Torpy v. Taylor (summons for 4-day order; at 11.30 a.m, Doyle v. Sheehy and another (to settle minutes); at 12 noon, Chapman v. Mason and others (to tax costs); at 2 p.m., Yule v. Chard and others (to tax costs); at 3 p.m., Abraham v. M'Quade (to review taxation).

INSOLVENCY BUSINESS.

Monday.—Kelso Moss, third meeting; Carl Schæffer, second meeting; James Smith, adjourned single; Edward William Grimley, examination of witnesses; Carl von Bieren, adjourned examination of insolvent and witnesses; John Knight, examination of witnesses; Jean de Bouillon, Emile Serisier, examination of witnesses.

Tuesday.—Frederick Thomas Fitzmaurice, William Livermore, Harrison Waddington, Alexander George Tubman and William Sey the younger ex parte Alexander George Tubman, William Burghardy, James Godfrey, Herbert Richard Johnson, Joseph Greedy, Joseph Alexander Turner, John Fraser, certificate applications.

Wednesday.—John Collman, John Vogt, certificate applications, Enoch Hughes, adjourned special for proof; Thomas Harris; Frederick John Goodsell, and James Wright, second meetings; John James Nicholson, special for proof; Robert Campbell Pinkerton and Richard Miller Pinkerton, James Vicars Spooner, Frederick Washer, Alfred Bennett, specials for proof; Thomas Donnelly, Arthur George Plowman and John Hill, Jeremiah Quinn, Harry Addington Unwin, Samuel Blue and George Earnest Blue, first meetings, at 10 a.m.

Thursday.—Jacob Richard, Clarke, Reginald Meek, extension of time for account and plan; Lamert Goldsmith, adjourned certificate; James Vicars Spooner, adjourned account and plan; John James Nicholson, adjourned account and plan; James Fulton, Walter Jackson, accounts and plans; William Thomas Bennett Stephens, motion for release; Robert Gray, Son, and Co. v. Henry Johnson, compulsory sequestration; Walfe Garrick and Co. v. William Morrish, compulsory sequestration; George Billings, motion to expunge debt of Aquila Parsons; Geoffrey Eagar, adjourned certificate.

Friday.—Thomas O'Connor, James Cahir, James Rowe, James Henry Madgwick, William Matthews, third meetings; George Bulley, Douglas Horsley Rowley, single meetings; Robert Robertson Jack, Michael Mealy, John Denning, Louis Keyzor, second meetings; James Miller, special for proof; Sarah Louisa Donnelly, Robert F. Carolan, Charles Henry Ohlenschlager, Francis Charles Sendall, Edward William Grimley, first meetings, at 10 a.m.

DISTRICT COURT.—Monday, June 7.

Causes.—Jones v. Cohen (part heard), Montgomery v. Whitehead, Arundell v. Fogarty, Harwood and another v. George, M'Kena v. Court, Harwell v. Whakely, Kurts v. Nicholls and others, Doust v. Moore, Pass v. Davenport and others, Menser v. Cowan and others, Macarthur v. Geddies.

POLICE.

Mr. A. M. Fisher, D.S.M., disposed of the business in the Charge division at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning. A number of persons were fined for drunkenness and other minor offences. *Elizabeth Donnelly* (24) was fined £5, in default three months' imprisonment, for having used indecent language in Goulburn-street. She was also fined for having been drunk and disorderly. *Arthur Balding* (23), described as a groom, was sent to gaol for a month, for having insufficient visible lawful means of support. A number of important cases were remanded.

At the Water Police Court, before Mr. Addison, S.M., two men named *Mitchell Gracien* and *Edward Murray* were charged with having travelled from Melbourne to Sydney by the steamer Leura without having paying the fare, and were each fined £1 10s., with the alternative of seven days' imprisonment. *Hannah Maria Dixon*, aged 23, a nurse, was fined £3, or two months, for having used indecent language within hearing of the public in Denison-street, Woollahra.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

Mr. Shiell, the City Coroner, held an inquest on Saturday, at the Soudan Hotel, Lower George-street, into the circumstances attending the death of a man, name unknown, whose body was found by Constable Scott between 4 and 5 o'clock on Friday evening floating in the water of Lavender Bay, between Milson's Point and Blue's Point. The only witness was Dr. Eichler, who made a post-mortem examination, and there was no evidence whatever as to the identity of the deceased, or to show how the body got into the water. The body was that of a man of robust build, and apparently between 50 and 60 years of age. On the right arm below the elbow was a tattoo mark, consisting of the initials "J.G." and a crucifix encircled by a heart. The body was found floating perpendicularly, with the head just above the water. The deceased was dressed in trousers and vest of grey tweed of a check pattern, and the only articles found in the pockets were a pair of spectacles and two cotton handkerchiefs, one white and the other coloured. Dr. Eichler stated that the body appeared to have been submerged for about a week, and that death was caused by asphyxia from drowning, but that there were no marks indicating that violence had been used. The jury returned a verdict of death from drowning, and added that there was not sufficient evidence to show how the deceased got into the water.

LIMITATION OF PROPOSED NEW TAXES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With due economy of public expenditure, and a system of local self-government, it is well known to every colonist of any experience here, that the ordinary revenue of the colony should be amply sufficient for its needs, and as no "responsible" Government we have ever yet had has proved itself "responsible" whenever surplus funds fell into its clutches—it should be insisted upon by both Houses (in the public interest) that whatever scheme of new taxation may now be passed should be strictly limited to a certain number of years only. If from any unforeseen cause the retention of it, or a portion of it, should then be absolutely required, then a Renewing Act can be passed without trouble or delay (and with such stringent restrictions, too, as experience may prove to be necessary)—whilst if it can be done without, the temptation to grossly misuse it is removed *volens volens*, and the public purse, so far, saved from spoliation.

I am, &c., R. D. ADAMS.

THE RETURN of BISHOP MOORHOUSE to ENGLAND.

The London correspondent of the Melbourne *Argus* writes on April 23:—

"The new Bishop of Manchester and Mrs. Moorhouse arrived in London on the 19th instant, 'Primrose Day,' a good deal 'knocked about' and fatigued by a rapid journey across the Continent, but otherwise well, and evidently greatly rejoiced at reaching home again. A representative of one of the Manchester papers met the Bishop at Calais, and accompanied him across the Channel, eliciting materials for a three-column "interview" respecting Dr. Moorhouse's Australian experiences, and his plans for the immediate future. Another press representative from Manchester introduced himself at Dover, and accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Moorhouse to London. The Bishop accepted these 'attentions' as a recognised development of modern journalism. They, at any rate, enabled him to be introduced to the Manchester public under advantageous circumstances, for his extreme courtesy impressed his interviewers, and their feelings found expression in their reports.

"In the course of one of the interviews Dr. Moorhouse, after dealing generally with various questions with regard to his former and present dioceses, referred to the relations between Great Britain and her colonies, and said:—The great fault of England is that she has magnificent colonies, but does not take much interest in them. The colonies feel that their interests were neglected in the New Guinea question that they were not deemed of sufficient importance to be considered in the matter by the mother country. I have been reminded frequently of what was said a little time ago of the United States of America—that they were far more annoyed at the supercilious way in which the mother country spoke of them and remembered them than they were at the tea duties. You will remember they threw their tea into Boston Harbour, and that was the ostensible reason of the outbreak of the War of Independence. But subsequently to that we were told that that was a mere sudden excitement, which would have passed away without serious consequences if the colonies had felt that the mother country had treated her great child with consideration. That superciliousness annoyed them far more than the tea duties. I believe the great danger with respect to the unity of the Empire at present is that the mother country speaks, and all public men speak with, if not contempt, utter indifference about the colonies, and they are just as sensitive as a boy growing into manhood is about the opinion of his father. If his father treats him with contempt, the boy feels it far more than would a grown-up man. So it is with the colonies. They are a great strong boy just bursting into manhood. They have the deepest affection for the mother country, and would submit to any sacrifice to assist her, but they desire some sort of affectionate consideration. They don't want interference; they would not suffer that. They have independent legislatures, and the measures that they adopt in these legislatures they expect to be carried into effect. All they want is affection and respect and regard from the mother country, and it is of infinite importance such affection should be extended towards them. The opinion of the colonies is that the unity of the Empire, so far as the mother country is concerned, should be secured. Nobody in England has the smallest idea of the resources and importance of the Australian colonies. The future of Australia will be a great one, and it is of the utmost importance that the relations of mother and daughters should be close and affectionate. I wish I could persuade English politicians of that fact. It would be very much to the advantage of the colonies and the mother country. We in the colonies are comparatively indifferent to the distinctions of party. What we look to is measures, no matter by which party they are carried. We felt, both in the case of the German occupation of a portion of New Guinea, and also in the treatment of the question of the French claims to the New Hebrides, that our interests were overlooked. The time is coming beyond all doubt when blunders made by England in respect of such questions as these may involve the colonies in war. They are extremely anxious to be at one with the mother country. They do not want to take any independent action whatever; but there is one question upon which they feel most deeply. The French have been sending convicts to the New Hebrides and New Caledonia, and they have ostentatiously kept open a back door by which the convicts have been allowed to escape. The shores upon which they land are naturally the shores of Australia, and thus by this back door—which we fancy has been purposely kept open—the scum of the population of France has been thrown upon the Australian shores. Some years ago the question that most agitated New South Wales and all the colonies of Australia was the question of stopping the transportation to the colonies, who are very jealous in maintaining the purity of their blood. They are more anxious than you Englishmen can imagine to prevent the convict taint from entering into the blood of the new generation, and if they were almost driven to rebellion on the question of English transportation, it may be easily seen that they are susceptible upon the question of French transportation, for the evil which threatens them from New Caledonia, is precisely of the same kind as threatened them from English transportation. English politicians have no idea of the excitement created by the dread of the convict taint in Australia. It is supposed, because convicts were sent to New South Wales, that therefore the people of the colonies care less than the English people would about the mixture of the convict element. It is that very circumstance which makes them more angry, for the mass of the population in Australia at the present time has no connection whatever with the convict element. The gold diggings of Victoria took from England probably some of the finest and most adventurous spirits in the English population, and none would object more than they would to the admixture of the convict element. Therefore, it is a very thorny question, and English politicians ought to be very careful to guard the purity of the population of Australia, when it is threatened in this way in the New Hebrides. It is very important the question should not be lost sight of. Further, it is to be remembered that the colonists are all British, and the colonies are not like India, where you have an enormous subject-population governed by a small garrison; but in the colonies the inhabitants are all of our own race, and they can strengthen us in any quarrels we may have with other people. The contingent that went from New South Wales to Suakim could have been multiplied tenfold, and the people were anxious so to multiply it. At any time if England were engaged in maintaining her communications through Egypt with the Indian empire, Australia would gladly throw a contingent upon the flank of any enemy with which England may be contending. There is no need to keep a garrison in Australia in order to maintain English ascendancy. On the contrary, instead of having to keep a garrison as in Egypt, England can reckon upon Australia to furnish her with a most powerful contingent. That country was a far more valuable possession, from the point of view of the permanent interests of the Empire, than India is."

TRUSTEES' ACT AMENDMENT BILL—DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Upon thinking carefully over the proceedings in the Legislative Council in reference to the bill brought in by Mr. Fergusson, M.L.A., to extend the provisions of the 52nd section of the Trustee Act of 1852, and facilitate the discharge of mortgages (reported in *Sydney Morning Herald*, May 28 last), I feel urged to make a few remarks thereon.

Commencing with the amendments of the Hons. F. M. Darley and G. B. Simpson, I have no doubt that if the bill be passed with such amendments it would become practically a dead letter, and would also do away with any small benefit mortgagees have under the existing enactment, as it would render a statutory discharge more cumbersome and expensive than a formal reconveyance. Contrast the two.

Firstly, a reconveyance, which in most cases can be made nearly as short as a statutory discharge, can be registered (one copy only signed by one of the parties, and verified on oath being required), on payment of a fee of 7s. 6d.

Secondly, the discharge, which must be registered in the same way, and for the same fee, but with the additional ceremony of the Registrar-General, or his deputy, carefully examining the discharge with the copy endorsed on the mortgage deed, and adding a certificate thereto, under his seal, that it is a true copy; a process which would render an additional fee of at least 10s. necessary.

Putting aside the bill for a moment it would seem that the main alterations required in the existing enactment (the Trustee Act 1852, 16 Vic., No. 19, sec. 52) are:—

1. To extend its operation to all cases of mortgaged property, and in cases of property settled or subject to uses to make the discharge operate so as to revest such property to the uses it may stand limited to (subject to the mortgage) at the time of signing the discharge.

2. To provide that the discharge should upon registration operate as from the time of its date.

To meet some cases, it might perhaps be as well to go further, and provide that so long as the discharge clearly identifies the mortgage intended to be discharged it need not be endorsed thereon.

This, however, is questionable, as it might open the door to fraud, and at best would only be requisite in a few instances, such as the case of an attorney here, of a mortgagee out of the colony and having the mortgage deed with him, not being authorised to execute a deed.

In this matter consideration should be given to the provisions of the 25th section of the Act 26 Vic., No. 12 (Trust Property Act of 1862), which are in effect that mortgages are only pledges, and do not (until taken out of that category by a sale or foreclosure by the mortgagee) affect the devolution of the title to the property (subject, of course, to the mortgage), which, except in a few instances, they do not.

I might, in conclusion, refer to the 54th section of the Friendly Societies Act, 37 Vic. No. 4, which has a more extended operation than the 52nd section of the Trustee Act, 1852, has been held to have, having particularly the effect mentioned in the latter part of sub-paragraph 1. The circumstances of these cases, however, require that the discharge should be endorsed on the mortgage; and as the trustees of the societies are, generally speaking, persons residing in the same city or town as the mortgagor, there is no reason for not having it so endorsed.

Sydney, June 4. I am, &c., SOLICITOR.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

CONCORD.

The fortnightly meeting of the Concord Municipal Council was held on Thursday evening, the Mayor (Mr. Chapman) in the chair. Aldermen Flavelle, Twine, Bray, Josselyn, and Zoeller were also present. The following communications were read:—From Mr. C. E. Jeanerett, making a complaint about the condition of the Burwood Wharf. It was resolved that the matter be attended to. From Mr. Wansborough, Government surveyor, asking for additional information concerning the subdivisions at Mortlake. The letter was received. Reports: The finance committee submitted a report, and certified for the payment of accounts amounting to £156 16s. 9d. A report, in which the following recommendations were embodied, was received from the works committee; that a payment on account be made to the contractor for work on the Major Bay-road; that the contractor for the temporary council chamber be paid the sum of £75 for work performed; that the matter in reference to the further formation of the footpath on Wharf-road, from Parramatta-road to Crane-street, stand over; that a water-table be formed, and pipes be laid at the junction of Burton and Ada streets, at a cost not to exceed £9; that Concord-road from Paterson-street to Wellbank-road, be formed at a cost of not more than £300. The reports were adopted. Tenders: Some tenders for supplying the council with blue metal and freestone ballast were received. It was resolved, however, that the consideration of tenders be postponed till the next meeting.

WATERLOO.

The ordinary fortnightly meeting of this council was held on Thursday evening, when there were present—the Mayor (Alderman Anderson), and Aldermen Evans, Cole, Spicer, Torning, Howe, Navin, and White. The Under-Secretary for Public Instruction wrote stating that the Department was willing to pay one-third of the cost of kerbing and guttering the footpaths adjacent to the local Public school. Received. A letter from the Department of Mines with reference to the Zetland Estate, contained the information that the alignments were at present being examined, after which, if found satisfactory, they would be recommended for preliminary notification. The letter was received. Reports were received from the finance committee (recommending for payment accounts amounting to £292 0s. 10d.), and from the Inspector of Nuisances. The latter dealt at some length with the dairies of the borough. There were 25 in all, 13 of which were supplied with water from wells, and 12 from the city supply. Sixteen had areas of ground for pasture ranging from three to six acres each, others, who carried on business on a smaller scale, kept their cattle in yards. Most of the cowsheds, though of inferior quality, were clean, and kept in good condition. On the whole, the dairies of Waterloo would compare favourably with others in and around Sydney. The condition of things would be much better were the dairymen afforded an opportunity to have long leases, as, on the present system of short tenancies, the proprietor of a dairy would be chary in effecting improvements of a permanent nature. Another requisite was a good supply of pure water, which, under existing circumstances, it was impossible to obtain. He would also advocate the Board of Health or municipal councils having the power to compel dairymen to keep their premises in a satisfactory condition. After some other business of a less important nature had been transacted, the council rose.

RIVER PLATE WOOL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The wool-producing capabilities of the River Plate (Parana and Uruguay Rivers) Republics,—viz., the Argentine Confederation or Republic, Uruguay, and Paraguay,—have much interest to the people of New South Wales, and attention has been prominently drawn to the matter. I trust, therefore, that the following particulars, taken from the latest official sources available, will be acceptable. In "Reports by her Majesty's Secretaries of Embassy and Legation" (Commercial), 1883, page 537, we read:—

"Argentine Republic.—The following represent the exports during the past three years of the four principal articles of country produce, viz.—hides, sheepskins, wool, and tallow:—

—	Hides.	Sheepskins.	Wool.	Tallow.
	Units.	Kilog.	Kilog.	Kilog.
1880	2,791,299	20,077,187	97,518,089	11,868,989
1881	2,192,370	22,339,591	104,756,922	19,687,170
1882	1,945,427	22,353,021	111,009,796	18,434,134

With regard to hides and sheepskins, these figures prove that no augmentation is taking place as regards numbers, in spite of the extension of grazing land over hitherto unoccupied tracts of the country by 'estancieros.'

"The increase in weight of exported wool is more to be attributed to the gradual improvement of the breed than to any great numerical increase in the flocks. Under the present conditions of climate, and absence of shelter on the Pampas, one may assume that the density of animal life there has reached its maximum; or, rather, that, given the present aspect of camp throughout the home provinces, no more cattle or sheep can properly exist there than do exist at this moment. No doubt, if proprietors would plant more trees for shelter against the storms which rage over these unprotected wilds, and make provision for an abundant supply of water by artificially tapping the inexhaustible sheets of subterranean water flowing, more or less deep, under the 'tosca,' or marl between the Andes and the Atlantic, so as to guard against the fatal consequences of drought, the present number of flocks and herds might be indefinitely increased."

It will be noticed that New South Wales is not alone in regard to the drought difficulty.

Up to but a short time ago the country was almost entirely a pastoral one, but already a vast quantity of wheat, maize, potatoes, &c., has been grown in its rich black soil, and the quantity is increasing from year to year. The cattle in 1882 have been estimated at 10,000,000, and the sheep at 68,000,000 in the same year.

The Argentine Confederation (capital Buenos Ayres) has an area of 748,280 square miles. As to Paraguay, "it is admitted on all sides that the industry of sheep-farming does not prosper there, probably owing to the climate, which seems to be too hot for sheep." Paraguay imports wool, tallow, &c., from the Argentine Republic.

The following particulars concerning Uruguay (called also Banda Oriental) I take from the "Reports from her Majesty's Diplomatic and Consular Officers (1884 and 1885). The total number of sheep in 1883 is given as 14,595,495. Since then the amount has fluctuated considerably, owing to local droughts, epidemics, and the like, which have told much more severely on sheep than on cattle; but the number will probably now stand at about 15,000,000. In 1883, 11,547,530lb. of sheep fells were exported. The capital of Uruguay, Monte Video, is the only secure and conveniently situated harbour along the South American coast from Rio Janeiro to Bahia; but it has the serious drawback of being exposed to strong south winds, which make the harbour unavailable for about a third of the year.

While people who know infinitely more about the wool-producing countries of the world than I do may see no cause for alarm in the competition of River Plate wool, and may stigmatise the subject as a "bugbear" (vide London telegram in the *Herald* a few days ago), yet we must not lose sight of the fact that these South American republics are making great strides, and, with the more settled government that they now enjoy, it is probable that they will bring themselves to the world's notice with increasing prominence. As a sample of the goaheadness of Uruguay, for example, let me mention that the Government established a School of Arts and Trades three or four years ago, and the institution now contains over 500 pupils (boys over 12) who doubtless will be further heard of in the near future. So that European countries, the United States, and the Australian colonies are not alone in the work of advancing technical education.

I have taken no cognisance of cattle-rearing, which has attained enormous dimensions in all three republics.

I am, &c., J. H. MAIDEN.
Technological Museum, Sydney, June 4.

TRUCKING STOCK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Since my letter on this subject (which you were good enough to publish) in last Saturday's issue, I observe that the Minister is so satisfied with the trial that he intends having a number of trucks altered, and that the alterations cost £40 per truck. Mr. Russell Barton also advocates the end loading system. Now, I believe the Minister is desirous of doing his utmost for the good of the country, and my friend Mr. Barton's experience no one can deny—I wish we had more like him in the colony—but I claim my ground, and will not desert it.

Let us have trials open to experienced persons, and decide on the best, so that it may be adopted, and not force any system on the public because some believe in it, until it is proved to be the best. This is all I ask, and I do not desire to argue details, but one of Mr. Barton's suggestions will appear to most persons as so thoroughly impracticable that it must be noticed, where he speaks of a man passing through with the decoy sheep, viz., "A man following the first among the sheep, having, say, 50 or 60 in front of him; but, stopping at the door of the last truck, he counts the sheep through, shuts the door when a sufficient number have passed, goes back through the sheep, counting them as he goes." Now, considering that the truck or deck is about 2 feet 9 inches high, the walking business is hard to perform, and that even supposing the sheep were sufficiently well informed to crowd the exact numbers into each truck, and be careful to keep off the platforms, there would be no room for a man to crawl through them, much less count. I have heard of an expert opening two hurdles, lying face downwards, and counting the sheep's feet, and now I want to see either that or the counting in the trucks performed.

Mr. Wilkinson, of Dubbo, in to-day's issue, has certainly not read what has taken place previous to my letter. I know Mr. Lyne is a practical man, and my reference to inexperienced men was a quotation from a report. The idea of going backwards through sheep is common enough, but going backwards through this discussion belongs entirely to Mr. Wilkinson. I am, &c.,

Sydney, June 4. HENRY S. BADGERY.

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AMUSEMENTS.

ROYAL STANDARD THEATRE.

The Royal Standard Theatre presented a most animated appearance on Saturday night. It was crowded in every part, and a large number of persons had to be denied admittance. Mr. Dampier presented a dramatisation of Marcus Clarke's popular work, "His Natural Life." The drama is written specially for that gentleman by Mr. Thomas Somers, and consists of a prologue and six tableaux, and the present is the first occasion on which it has been produced in Sydney. For the resources of the theatre it was as satisfactory an adaptation as could be desired, and it appeared to fulfil the anticipations of the audience in every degree, so loud and frequent was the applause they accorded to it. The action of the serious parts does not lag in the least, or fatigue; and in the humorous portions the language is so bright and sparkling as to evoke laughter from all quarters. The scenery is well painted, and the stage arrangements are attractive to the eye, and they met with many manifestations of approval. The story of Rufus Dawes is very familiar. It has excited interest and sorrow not only in these colonies but in England, and many other places where the English language is spoken. It is sorrowful yet thrilling, and its strongest features have been carefully selected and cleverly incorporated in the drama. The frightful sufferings of Dawes at the hands of brutal officials, and the terrible fate of the convicts after the wreck of the Osprey are well portrayed, and there are good reasons for supposing that the drama will have a satisfactory run. Mr. Dampier played the part of the Rev. Mr. North, a victim to the besetting sin of drink. Mr. Boothman was allotted the trying part of Rufus Dawes, and Mr. Stoneham that of John Rex. As the Rev. Mr. Meekin, the humorous Leston was intensely funny. Mr. Holloway had the ferocious character of Gabbet placed in his hands, and the other principal convicts were represented by Messrs. Stark, Tasman, and James. Mr. W. E. Baker was the ruffianly Captain Frere. Miss Dampier was bright and sympathetic as Silver, and Miss Katherine Russell was Sarah Rex, Miss Merton Mrs. Vickers, and Mrs. Walter Hill Lady Devine.

GAIETY THEATRE.

A truly marvellous performance took place on Saturday night at the Gaiety Theatre in connection with "Fun on the Bristol." The actors were a French lady, who entitles herself Æola, and an athlete of the same nation named Ohmy. An immense cannon was wheeled on to the stage and placed at a high elevation. The lady entered the muzzle of this, and with the exception of her face disappeared; and Ohmy, while she was engaged in the operation of being converted into a projectile, ascended to a trapeze suspended from the ceiling 30 yards distant. Some stage artillerymen worked the cannon into its proper position, and one of them fired it off. Æola, gleaming in a bright coloured and silvery costume, shot from the cannon's mouth, passed over the audience with meteoric rapidity, and was caught by the hands of Ohmy, who was hanging head downwards from his trapeze. The passage of the lady through the air was extremely graceful, and the success of her movements was greeted with the most enthusiastic cheering, which was prolonged for several minutes. The feat has been accomplished in Europe frequently, but this was the first occasion on which it has been attempted here. It required great strength of nerve, much intrepidity, and a keen and unfaltering perception for judging distance. In gracefulness it surpassed the beautiful movements that are executed on the flying trapeze, and was in truth a wonderful, exciting, and interesting accomplishment, being the nearest approach to flying the human body is capable of. After its completion the two athletes performed a series of difficult exercises on the double trapeze, all of which were marked with skill and grace, and exhibited a high attainment of nervous vigour and physical strength.

LECTURE.

HISTORY AND PROGRESS OF DYEING.

In connection with the Board of Technical Education a lecture was delivered on the above subject in the Technical College Hall on Friday, June 4, by Mr. Hugh Pollock, B.A., LL.B. The lecturer proceeded to state that, though dyeing was a most ancient art, and coeval with the very dawn of civilisation, yet we have no account of its discovery, and no legends of its origin have come down to us. We have, however, reliable evidence of its antiquity. From the gift given to Joseph by his father Jacob of a coat of many colours, and the jealousy shown thereat by his brothers, we can conclude that such garments were not common, and so the art which was able to produce such garments would not be common, yet it must have reached a considerable degree of proficiency to be able to perform such difficult operations. In early times the most civilised portions of the world were to be found in Asia and in Phœnicia, whose chief city, Tyre, was the Manchester of antiquity. Great progress in dyeing was made at a very remote period. The city was famous for the discovery and manufacture of the celebrated purple dye which bears its name, and which was much prized for its colour and durability. It was discovered about the year 1500 B.C., and met with very early and general appreciation. We are told by Pliny that this dye was procured from a species of mollusk, and that only one drop of the dye was yielded by each of the shell-fish. Wool that received the Tyrian purple was twice dyed, and the colour for each bath was extracted from two species of mollusk. At the time of the Roman Emperor Augustus a pound weight of this double-dyed purple wool cost about £36 of our money. After a time the Emperors arrogated to themselves the sole right of wearing this purple, and prohibited its use to any other person. This curious art gradually dwindled away; first in the western and then in the eastern part of the Empire, where, however, it existed in certain Imperial factories until the eleventh century. The Egyptians must have reached a degree of great proficiency in dying, as from an examination made of some of their mummy cloths it has been found that they were acquainted with the use of indigo as a dye; other nations only used this colour as a pigment, not having been able to solve the difficult problem of dissolving the substance. At the fall of the Roman Empire the art of dyeing, like all other useful and ornamental arts belonging to civilisation, was completely exterminated by warlike invasion, and lay dormant for at least five centuries. At the time called the period of the revival of literature and science, about the beginning of the thirteenth century, the centre of civilisation was the city of Florence, and there amongst other arts dyeing revived. There were no less than 200 dyeing establishments in that place early in the 14th century. The discovery of printing helped greatly to spread a knowledge of the art and laid the foundation for the improvement in dyeing which took place shortly afterwards in Germany, France, and England. The opening up of America to commercial enterprise formed an era in the history of the tinctorial arts, as from that country were introduced a number of new dye wares, cochineal, logwood, anatto, &c. Indigo was again introduced into Europe by the voyages of the Dutch and Portuguese to India; but its use met with great opposition from the growers of woad, and laws were made in many countries against its use. This prohibition was kept up in Germany so late as the end of the last century. The progress of dyeing was very great during the last century, and was especially so in France. The present generation has seen the introduction of the aniline colours, which are capable of producing shades and hues which cannot be approached in brilliancy and splendour by any other means.

THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA WASHING THE FEET OF THE POOR.

The correspondent of the *Times*, telegraphing on April 22, gives the following account of a curious ceremonial at Vienna, in which the Emperor Francis Joseph played the principal part:—

"The Emperor of Austria this morning performed the annual ceremony of washing the feet of 12 poor men in the Festival Hall of the Hofburg. There were fewer members of the diplomatic body present this year than usual. Count Nigra was the only ambassador who attended. There was, however, a full muster of Austro-Hungarian Cabinet Ministers, State dignitaries, general officers, peers, and Knights of Malta, all in uniform, and the spectacle was brilliant and interesting. Formerly the Empress used to wash the feet of 12 poor women. Her Majesty's health no longer allows her to take part in so fatiguing a function, and thus the sight has lost half its attractions, as no ladies now figure in the Court procession. The Fusswaschung is preceded by the serving of a dinner. A long table is set on one side of the hall, and covers are laid on it for 12. At 10 o'clock the dozen old men, each accompanied by two or three relatives, filed in and took their seats. The youngest of them was aged 85, and they all looked very feeble and broken. These old men are selected by the Court Marshal from a list of deserving poor recommended by the clergy and the municipality. They are dressed in a black 17th century costume, which becomes their property, along with all that is served to them—namely, the viands and the covers, including a jug with the Imperial arms, a silver goblet, a plate, a knife, a fork, and a spoon. The Emperor, wearing a field-marshal's uniform, entered the hall at half-past 10, escorted by the clergy of the Court chapel, with several Archdukes and the Grand Duke of Tuscany. His Majesty walked to the head of the table, and at once began to remove the dishes from the trays brought to him by 12 life-guardsmen in scarlet uniforms. A formal question was then put to one of the old men as to whether he would like to eat, and on his making a sign in the negative, the Archdukes stepped forward to clear the table. Four courses of several dishes each are in this way brought on and removed, the Emperor always serving the dishes, and the Archdukes taking them off the table. At the conclusion of the ceremony the dishes are placed in large boxes and carried to the homes of the old men. When the last course had been removed the table was carried out, and the clergy began to intone a prayer. A long white cloth was then unrolled and drawn over the laps of the 12 old men, covering them from the waist downwards. Court servants stooped to take off the shoe and stocking from the right foot of each man, and the Emperor knelt to perform the foot-washing. His Majesty sprinkled a little water out of a golden basin on to each foot, dried the foot with a towel, and then passed on to the next man. When the washing was ended Prince Hohenlohe, the Court Marshal, advanced with a tray bearing 12 purses, and the Emperor hung one of these round each old man's neck. The whole ceremony lasted about half an hour. Like all the ceremonies at the Austrian court, it was perfect in its arrangements. There was not a hitch of any kind."

THE LY-EE-MOON DISASTER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

EDEN, SATURDAY.

James Fotheringham, the third officer of the Ly-ee-Moon, was released on bail yesterday, two sureties of £40 each having been found for him in Sydney, and the fact telegraphed to Eden. He is also bound over in his own recognizances in the sum of £80. The remand from Eden is to the Water Police Court, Sydney, where he will appear on Tuesday next. He has engaged Mr. Shorter, solicitor, to defend him.

Captain Webber, J. Fotheringham (third officer), Andrew Johnson, and F. M'Nally, all late of the Ly-ee-Moon, left for Sydney this morning in the I. S. N. Company's steamer. The inhabitants of the little township here have manifested their sympathy for the wrecked seamen by contributing the sum of £17, which was collected in an hour or two, by Miss Woods. This has been handed to Captain Walker, of the Allowrie, for distribution amongst the five surviving seamen.

Sub-Inspector Baker has received permission, by telegraph this morning, to engage boats and men to recover the floating bodies.

We are informed by the manager of the A. S. N. Company that the male body, reported in Saturday's issue as having been recovered, bearing tattoo marks, has been identified as that of Thomas Wing, donkeyman. The lighthouse-keeper has reported to the company as follows:—"Writing desk recovered. Contains locks of hair; letters bearing name of Mrs. M'Intyre."

A correspondent writes to say that the name of the second cook was Alexander M'Guffy (not M'Jefferis), and that he leaves a wife and two children in Glasgow, unprovided for.

Captain Webber, Mr. James Fotheringham, and the seamen Andrew Johnson and Frederic M'Nally, arrived in Sydney yesterday forenoon by the steamer Allowrie. Captain Webber landed from the ship, and was driven away in a vehicle which was in waiting for him by a friend, and Mr. Fotheringham walked away. The two seamen were met by several friends, who heartily congratulated them on their safe arrival in Sydney.

We have been requested by the Premier (Sir Patrick Jennings) to publish the following copies of telegraphic correspondence in reference to the Ly-ee-Moon disaster:—

[Copy of telegram from Green Cape to Sir P. A. Jennings, K.C.M.G., Colonial Secretary.]

"Send small steamer with efficient whaleboat here to recover bodies. Saw four bodies, seagulls pecking them, clear of reef, smooth water. Duty to our common humanity requires that something more should be done. Is New South Wales so poor that she cannot afford to bury her brave sons and daughters? (Signed)
"Green Cape, 5th. FRANCIS HUDSON."

[Copy of reply to Francis Hudson, Esq., Green Cape.]

"Police Magistrate, Eden, instructed send two whaleboats efficiently manned, to start at once endeavour recover bodies drowned wreck Ly-ee-Moon. The quickest way.
"(Signed)
"6th June. P. A. JENNINGS, Premier."

[Copy of telegram from Premier to J. P. Keon, Police Magistrate, Eden.]

"Telegram received from Francis Hudson, Green Cape, asking send small steamer, with efficient whaleboat, rescue bodies floating, wreck Ly-ee-Moon. Please arrange with Davidson or Solomon to start immediately with at least two whaleboats properly manned, to endeavour to recover bodies. Advise without delay if these instructions carried out. (Signed)
"6th June. P. A. JENNINGS, Premier."

[Copy of reply from Police Magistrate, Eden, to Sir P. A. Jennings.]

"Started one whaleboat and crew to Green Cape yesterday, with spare boat to carry bodies. Have arranged for another whaleboat and crew to start in morning, also with spare boat. (Signed)
"June 6. J. P. KEON, P. M., Eden."

[Copy of telegram from Telegraph Stationmaster, Eden.]

"Two boats, with crews, were sent from Eden yesterday to Green Cape to recover bodies. Green Cape informs me to-day that they are of no service as yet, as bodies are thought to have floated out to sea."

THE CHURCHES.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the Pitt-street Congregational Church last night the Rev. Dr. Jefferis delivered an impressive address upon the loss of the Ly-ee-Moon. The congregation filled the large building in every part. The service commenced with the hymn—

"Days and moments swiftly flying
Blend the living with the dead."

The rev. gentleman chose for his text Job 28, 12 and 14 verses—"But where shall wisdom be found? and where is the place of understanding? The depth saith, It is not in me; and the sea saith, It is not with me." He asked how did God move; was he just, and were his ways equal? or must they think that he was careless of his creatures, or dare they imagine, with John Stuart Mill, that he was often worsted in the effort to make things right? If matters were pleasant around them, and the joys of life were to them like the balmy freshness of the clear spring day, they did not ask such questions. When a night of sorrow came, with no moon walking in her brightness, and no stars illuminating the dark profound, they cried on God and asked "Can this be Thy work, and art Thou forgetful of Thy creatures?" No man asked such questions with more consistent earnestness than now. It was a fitting time for them to do so when the shadow of a great calamity fell upon them. Dark and dreadful to a multitude of them had the past six days been; dark at first with intolerable anxiety and painful uncertainty, and dreadful the issue that broke upon them like a mighty thunder clap, not only in Australia, but even in England itself. Nearly 70 of their fellows had gone down, men who had worked side by side with them for years in an honourable career; women, too, faithful wives and devoted mothers; children, too, boys and girls and infants—bright-eyed, loving children—all engulphed beneath the dark, pitiless wave. Who, without a shudder, could think of their terrible end. The blow came suddenly as the shock of doom. Then followed the dreadful alarm, the trepidation, the burning tears, the clasping of hands, and then the immeasurable wastes of eternity. In such case could they understand God's ways, or read the mysteries of his dealings in these silent depths? What was the non-knowledge of God they heard men boast of? Atheism. Should men love a God he could not know and could not think of? They as children of a Heavenly Father said there were not always clouds and darkness round about Him. The reverend mind saw God daily. They began then thinking about Providence with the profound conviction that infinite love lay at the very foundation of all God's workings throughout His universe, and they were not swallowed up of the darkness that was round about them. There was light to be gained by actual knowledge, and they could get it from the Scriptures. They knew that calamities like the present one came with God's permission, and hence they must have a meaning and a lesson for good. It was the boast of unchristian science that the imperative laws of the universe were against the Christians' ideas. They denied that. They delighted in the universality of those laws as God's provision for their welfare. It was asked, were a shipwreck and the sacrifice of life a merciful provision for the welfare of man? He dared to aver that they were. The chief lessons of life were taught by bitter and terrible experience. What a careless, cruel world this would be if now and then they were not brought by some dread calamity to see the fatal results of their folly, passion, and selfishness. They lived all of them for the ages that were to come as well as for themselves, and it might be that thousands of lives in the long course of years that would come would be saved by the deaths of last Sunday night. It was not his province to say that there was either weakness, carelessness, or culpable ignorance on the part of those who had charge of the vessel. The officers responsible for the vessels safety would plead at the bar of the country, and let an impartial justice decide the matter. But he knew they have to become wiser and stronger in their contests with the blind forces of nature, by which so many lives were lost, that they might win the mastery which was their due; and he knew that they had to be careful with the carefulness, inspired by wisdom, before they could claim immunity from the horrors of shipwreck. In Bass' Straits 800 lives were sacrificed and great treasure lost before the Victorian Government saw the value of lights and colours being placed there. Along their own coast, too, dangerous shoals and reefs were being made known. Eleven years ago the Gothenburg struck on one of these reefs and a hundred lives were lost, and if their coast was not properly surveyed they would have other wrecks fully as disastrous. In the case of the Ly-ee-Moon no fault could be found with the Government. Some blamed them because Green Cape lighthouse was not supplied with life-saving apparatus. But the lighthouse was there and the light shone far and wide, and yet the ship went on the rocks direct as a moth went to the candle's flare. It was a fact that somebody must have blundered. How well was it not known that shipowners allowed their vessels to incur risk for the sake of swift passages and the command of trade? Rules had they? Yes; one that their ships should keep two miles distant from these projecting headlands; and were their ships so kept? Did not the public demand swift voyages? Did not the passengers applaud the captain who sailed far within the circle of danger? Eventually, however, their shipowners would find that it would not pay to sacrifice safety to gain. Recently a gentleman had informed him that he never travelled along their coast except in their large ocean-going steamers, because their coasting steamers persistently clung to the land. There would be many like him until they got distinct assurance that the rule he had referred to was unswervingly adhered to. Men to rule must obey. They were very much at the mercy of the giant forces that moved the world. But every year was adding to their knowledge and increasing their power, and what a grand thing life would be when they were masters instead of servants, ruling the winds and waves, just as now by the science of telegraphy they ruled the lightning and the thunder. If they had knowledge and power without obedience their danger would still be greater than before, and disasters would be frequent. The death of a few became the life of the many. The sorrowing ones who were now dropping their bitterest tears in memory of the dreadful incident of last Sunday evening, or whose hearts were stony with grief, would not gain much by moralising like this. They must go to Him who bore their griefs and carried their sorrows. Let them listen to that mighty pealing voice that cried now as it did in Galilee, "Come unto Me all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." God grant that it might be so. As for the loved and lost ones, let them commit them to God, saying, "God is right; He doeth all things well. Though He slayeth me, yet will I trust in Him."

The reverend gentleman concluded his address with an appeal to his hearers to aid the fund which was being raised for the relief of those who had suffered by the wreck.

ST. BARNABAS'S, C. E.

A very large congregation assembled at St. Barnabas's, C. E., yesterday evening, and the Rev. Joseph Barnier, by request of the Church of England Temperance Society, delivered a sermon on "Wrecks." The text chosen was from Timothy 1., v. 19,—"Holding faith and a good conscience: which some having put away concerning faith, have made shipwreck." The rev. gentleman's remarks were to the intent of drawing a lesson, or a series of lessons, from the terrible catastrophe of the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon, with regard to stemming the tide of intemperance, and averting the temptations, the snares, and the neglect of warnings which lead to the physical and moral ruin of so many thousands of voyagers through the sea of life. In imagination at the outset, he stood with his auditors upon the storm-lashed and wave-washed coast of Green Cape on the previous Sunday night, and pictured the glimmering lights of the steamer, which was rapidly, all unconsciously yet certainly and irrevocably, bearing its living freight onwards to their doom—a doom as unexpected, and as little unprovided for, as was that of the drunkard. Wrecks—of ships essentially—he pointed out, arose from one of several causes: breach of orders, or of sailing directions, from ignorance, or from negligence. God forbid that, in the present instance, he should attempt to say from what cause the fatality sprang; he, with others, was unable to say, and he dared not hazard an opinion. Wrecks, again, arose from sailing too close to dangerous ground, whereby the awful crash arrived at a moment all but, if not altogether, unsuspected; and a distinct parallel was traceable between moral and material wreck and ruin. Arguing upon that line of thought, Mr. Barnier delivered an eloquent and vehement denunciation of the drinking habits of the community; their inception, their imperceptible expansion—so far as the drinkers of intoxicants were individually and collectively concerned—and the degrading and fatal issues of such habits to the human race in all parts of the globe. Following up the simile, he went on to picture the initiation, the pogress, and the consummation of intemperate youths', men's, and women's careers; and he begged the congregation, in all earnestness, all sincerity, and with every power that he was possessed of, to at once, and with Christian resolution, set themselves to calmly consider the real issues of the drinking and total abstinence questions; and to lend a helping hand towards rescuing the perishing ones who daily and hourly were going down in the vortex of dissipation. In specially alluding to recent efforts to induce our Legislature to deal with the liquor question, he denounced scathingly the action of members of Parliament, and more particularly some of those who held avowed views upon the question of intemperance, in having flocked almost *en masse* to vote themselves a "wretched £300 per year for their Parliamentary services," whilst but a handful, if so many, could be found to assemble when a question of burning and paramount interest to the morals, to the physical well-being, and to the eternal destiny of the masses was proposed to be dealt with. He prayed the Lord that, individually and as a body, men and women might take to heart the interential lesson of the awful disaster which had occurred; and having in view the inevitable wreck, not only of the drunkard, but of succeeding generations also, which the drinking habits of our day was hastening, the rev. gentleman, in conclusion, called upon one and all, at every risk and regardless of self-sacrifice, to unite in a common effort towards stemming the increasing tide of intemperance.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH, BATHURST-STREET.

At the Baptist Church, Bathurst-street, last night a thanksgiving service was held. The church was crowded to excess. The Rev. W. Poole, one of the survivors from the wreck, gave an address in place of the ordinary sermon. He said that he would have preferred to have quietly worshipped, and to have taken no part whatever in public engagements, but his friends wished otherwise, and he had complied with their requests. He wished to say a few words of help to his hearers in delivering them from the storms of life and from the oceans of sin, and in leading them to that place where lighthouses were not needed, and where dangerous rocks were not to be found. He desired, first of all, to clear away some misconception as to God's doings. Last Monday morning, after they had been rescued, and were just getting about, some one said to him, "Oh, Mr. Poole, we must submit to this; it is the will of God." He did wish to be irreverent, or to be thought anything but submissive, but his reply was distinct and emphatic, "It is not the will of God. God's will is that you and I and every man should do our duty in the posts to which He has assigned us." He repeated that night that it was by the direct defiance of God, and by not doing God's will, that the dreadful calamity occurred. Let them not throw the blame of their stupidity, their recklessness, their wilful disobedience, upon God, because He was not responsible. Sometimes, on going into the house of mourning, where fever had claimed its victims, he was told "This is very dreadful, but we must submit to the will of God." But the man had absolutely built his house upon a swamp, where his common sense must have told him that so soon as the rainy season approached, and the ground became damp, so would exhalations arise and lives be lost. But because allotments could be obtained a little cheaper, men deliberately placed themselves where they invited fever to do its work, and then they said, "God has done this." This was a lesson of exceedingly wide application. Another man who was conversing with him after the wreck asked, "Why did God not interfere and prevent this disobedience of duty?" The answer was that if God had interfered He would have been giving a direct premium to carelessness, to indifference, and to sloth, and men would feel no responsibility, and life would soon become chaos. God had given men mental and physical powers, and it was their duty to use those powers. The same rule applied to spiritual matters. Most of the disasters of this life, the pain and the sorrow, right up to death, were the result of disobedience to God, and not because God willed that they should occur. A lesson to be taught by the late disaster was the sudden changes which took place in a few hours. On the previous Sunday night at that time little children were playing in the saloon of the ill-fated steamer and laughing with childish innocence, and their mothers were gazing upon them with a mother's fondness. Everywhere there was a sense of security. The lighthouse was ahead warning them of danger, the men were at their posts of duty, and everyone was rejoicing in the hope of soon reaching their destination. In a few moments the whole scene had changed. There was a grating of the keel upon the cruel rocks, the fierce hissing of steam arising from broken connections, the shrill whistle not set going by any human hand, and loud cries for help. Then came weary hours of anxious waiting and struggling for the few who were rescued, while their former companions were lying silently in the deep sea. "Yes," they might say, "we can understand those sudden disasters at sea." Could, however, any one tell whether he or she would be alive the next morning? Life was full of sudden changes, and therefore they should live so as to be safe in Him who abideth for ever. The deliverance came to some of them who stuck to the wreck, and there was deliverance from sin and from vice for everyone who relied upon the living Christ. While waiting for the rescue during those weary hours he could not help thinking of the power of hope and faith. They would never have been rescued if they had not had faith in the strength of the rope over which they passed to the shore, and in the men who were in charge of that rope; and in the same way sinners would never be saved unless they had faith in the goodness and the forgiveness of God. He had told them these simple facts because he wished them to lead pure lives, and to be able to say, with the apostle Paul, however or whenever they met death, "I have fought a good fight; I have finished my course." I have kept the faith. The rev. gentleman was visibly affected during the deliverance of his address. At its termination a collection was made on behalf of those who have been left widowed and orphaned by the disaster, the sum of £32 being subscribed.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN.

The Rev. Warlow Davies, M.A., was announced to deal at the Congregational Church, Newtown, with the subject of the wreck, and the announcement resulted in an unusually large congregation, numbering about 800. The rev. gentleman selected as the basis of his discourse the words:—"And falling into a place where two seas met, they ran the ship aground; and the fore part stuck fast, and remained immovable, but the hinder part was broken by the violence of the waves."

The Rev. W. DAVIES having briefly described the calamity which took place off Green Cape last Sunday night, went on to say that he was not going to dwell on the horrors of that night. But he wanted, rather to-night, to bring before them some considerations suggested by this dreadful catastrophe. Now, in the first place, it was amazing that such a disaster as this should have happened at all. We were not expecting it. We had no reason for doing so. We had, or thought we had, plenty of good reasons for expecting quite the contrary. We were shocked beyond measure when the news reached us. Our pride was sorely wounded. Our resentment was kindled, and naturally enough burnt with a fierce heat. What we least dreaded had actually come to pass. That a rotten vessel overtaken by the tempest should go to the bottom—well, men look for that to happen. But the Ly-ee-Moon was a good ship, in good condition, well manned, running on a well-known coast, under a starlit sky, with one lighthouse just behind, and another bright light ahead, and yet, within an hour, notwithstanding the skill, and appliances, and progress, of which, in these days, we were so justly proud; within an hour she was driven blindly on the rocks, and more than 70 human beings sank into an untimely grave. Who was responsible was not a question for them to discuss there to-night. But this he would say that if the public were bent on travelling at an unsafe speed, and owners of vessels were determined, in the face of competition, that fast trips should be made, there would be a repetition of such accidents as that which they were lamenting; and the guilt would not lie alone at the door of those who were in command. Let them pay the penalty of neglect of duty, but let public opinion and the law of the land stringently forbid this perilous and reckless haste, and we should have fewer wrecks to record, and fewer deaths to mourn on our coast. The fact, however, that this terrible disaster might possibly be traceable not to the judgments of God, but to the ignorance, the carelessness, or the recklessness of men, only aggravated the loss, the suffering, and the unspeakable sorrow of those on whom the effects of this calamity had fallen with a crushing weight. The reverend gentleman having mentioned some of the more affecting incidents of the wreck, urged that the lesson it taught should never be forgotten. Let those, he said, who have the lives of their fellow-men in their keeping remember that they cannot ignore, or neglect, or abuse their trust without inflicting irreparable loss and life-long sorrow upon others, upon the innocent as well as upon the guilty. Amongst other lessons drawn by the preacher from the event were the nearness of the two worlds, and the thinness of the veil which separated them; the mystery which surrounded every human life; the strength of the human instinct to turn to God in all extremities when heart and flesh failed; the necessity of readiness for all eventualities; the virtues, the heroism called forth by great perils; and the common tie which binds all men into one. After the sermon a collection was made in aid of the sufferers by the wreck, and the sum of £23 9s. was contributed. At the conclusion of the service Mr. A. Burnand, the organist, played "The Dead March in Saul."

BOURKE-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Last evening the Rev. James Hill, M.A., preached an eloquent sermon in the Bourke-street Congregational Church, taking for his subject the recent shipwreck of the Ly-ee-Moon. The preacher took his text from the 10th chapter of Hebrews, 31st verse, "It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God." After referring to the blending of joy and sorrow in the world, and the true solution of earthly calamity and sorrow being found only in an absolute trust in God's infinite wisdom, he read the affecting description by little Adams of the wreck, and his parting from his mother, and drew tears to the eyes of many in the congregation by his sympathetic comment on the awful scene. "Under all the joys of life," said he, "there is one perpetual wail as of souls in pain. But this cry of sorrow softens down all the asperities of existence, and makes us mindful of our brotherhood." He then drew a contrast between the view of life and its suffering from the standpoint of the sceptic and from that of the Christian. As the scientist found a grander world to move in than did the unreflective mind, so in a like manner, but in a far higher sense, did the spiritual man—the man whose mind had been enlightened—hear a voice across the storm, which in the midst of the wails of sorrow and cries of pain whispered "Peace, be still," and said "Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you." In the course of his sermon, Mr. Hill said:—"In these days of progress how many frightful and fatal accidents occur. In this march of mind, with its steamboats and its railways, lie concealed great dangers. The triumph of science in giving rapid means of travelling shows that our progress is not gained without cost. This hurrying to and fro throughout the world is attended with dangers unknown in the primitive world. Where man ventures into the domain of nature with appliances to subdue her forces there will be conflict, and, if he venture too far, and fails to secure his end, the forces of the world will rush in upon him, and remind him of his nothingness. Man's growing consciousness of power over nature, as well as the desire to find the shortest way to wealth,—these have not a little to do with many of our great disasters both on sea and land. We are not content to labour and to wait, as men did in other days, but must have quick ways and quick passages, and so run great risks. Everything has been accelerated in speed, and all has to give way to the maximum of wealth and maximum of work in a minimum of time. Instead of taking a circuitous course from some headland of material and moral danger, we take our lives in our hands and go dangerously near to it. If the directors of a company fail to enforce upon their servants the obligation of attending to its law and rules, what are we to say to these directors? A quick passage, which they are bound to know has been accomplished by infringing laws framed for the public safety, ought not to be rewarded by a bonus, but rather punished. When a servant finds that a smart action or risky thing is approved and rewarded by his masters, is this not placing in his way a temptation to rashness, and putting in his hands a power he should not possess? It is to be hoped the cause of this calamity will be traced to its fountain-head." The hymns sung, and portion of Scripture read, were appropriate to the occasion, and the "Dead March in Saul" was played at the conclusion of the service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, LEICHHARDT.

Yesterday morning the Rev. Henry A. Hutchison, B.Sc., preached at the Leichhardt Presbyterian Church, taking for his subject the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon. The reverend gentleman did not select any set text, and in justification of this departure from the usual custom said that when our Saviour was upon earth he preached to the people, propounding ideas and imparting teachings which were suggested by surrounding circumstances at the time. The example of their Master was followed by his disciples, and in like manner he would select for his text the story of the disastrous wreck on Sunday night last. He then proceeded to relate the incidents connected with the wreck, drawing therefrom the spiritual lessons which such a catastrophe ought to teach. The vessel broke in two, the parts drifting away from each other, and whilst all who were saved were on the forward part, all who were on the after portion perished. He compared the case of those on the stern part of the vessel to that of the spiritually lost. Their cries for help were heard for six long agonising hours, but there could be no effectual response; there was no means of reaching them. Those on the forepart were surrounded by dangers, and though they heard the agonising cries of those not far from them, whom they knew could not be saved, and must have felt that the same fate might shortly be their own, they did not give themselves up to despair; they were calm, and there was no panic. The reason for that was that the land was so near, the lighthouse was just above them, and there were those on shore anxious to help them. They could not realise how they could perish. The one question was how help was to come, and the necessity for their own preservation, and they clung tenaciously to life. Why were men not more profoundly impressed with the necessity for the preservation of that life which was to go on for ever? The reason why men would not seek to be delivered from their terrible spiritual danger was just because they were distracted by the consideration of other things, leaving those which really were of the most moment to some other time. The preacher then referred to the incidents of the wreck, the spirit of helpfulness shown towards one another, the resistance of influences which would have made escape less possible, and of the faith manifested; and, comparing small things with great, he concluded his discourse by pointing the spiritual lessons suggested by the parallels.

THE MARINERS' CHURCH.

The Rev. W. Bradley delivered a sermon yesterday evening in the Mariners' Church, in connection with the Sydney Bethel Union, in which especial reference was made to the loss of the steamer Ly-ee-Moon. The attendance, notwithstanding the unpleasantness of the weather, was rather over the average. The preacher selected as the subject of his discourse the following verses from the 13th chapter of St. Luke's Gospel:—"There were present at that season some that told him of the Galilæans, whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. And Jesus answering, said unto them, Suppose ye that these Galilæans were sinners above all the Galilæans because they suffered such things? I tell you Nay; but except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish. Or those 18 upon whom the tower of Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem? I tell you Nay, but except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish." The preacher in his opening remarks reminded his hearers that there were everywhere indications of the dread presence of death, and that mortality was the common lot of man. It had been estimated that if all the people who had died from the time of the creation were to be buried side by side, the entire surface of the globe would have to be dug over 128 times, and it was indeed a true statement that men daily walk on graves. But who could depict or number the sorrows which had burdened the earth, or the households that had been filled with mourning? All mankind felt awed in the presence of the king of terrors, but it was the destiny of some to meet death under more appalling circumstances than others, as the late melancholy event which had agitated the feelings of their fellow-citizens, and thrown a gloom over the whole city, clearly proved. It was well, however, to regard these terrible forms of death so that a useful lesson might be derived from them. The unfortunate passengers and crew of the ill-fated vessel were brought face to face with death without warning, and in the hour of darkness, and none could picture the feelings with which those on board, situated as they were without a ray of hope, must have contemplated death. He impressed upon them the fallacy of supposing that such dispensations of Providence were a sure test of the real character of the persons who were the sufferers. Extraordinary calamity by no means implied extraordinary guilt, and the awful shipwreck, the remembrance of which had cast a shadow over the city, could not be taken as a special token of the wrath of God. He further sought to remove an erroneous impression on the part of some seamen of his acquaintance—that the disaster to the Ly-ee-Moon was a judgment upon the A. S. N. Company for working their crews so hard, and compelling them to sail on the Sabbath. Such an idea he considered utterly wrong, and he referred to a number of instances in Scripture to show that the wicked often prospered in life, whilst the righteous not infrequently had to undergo trial and suffering. Death in all ages of the world had been a painful mystery to man, but it was clear from the teaching of the Divine Word that there was no special providential care over the ungodly in this life. The Lord seemed to reserve their punishment till they entered upon a lost eternity. But God jealously watched over believers; and although these were punished during their lives for sins of omission as well as sins of commission, they received their reward when they entered upon eternity. Trial was sent upon His children in order to prune the character, that they might bring forth more fruit; that He might cause His people to manifest the glory of their Christianity, and that His people might seek consolation from Him in time of adversity. The Lord had allowed the terrible event which befel the Ly-ee-Moon to sadden the hearts of His people, for the conversion of those who remained, and for the general benefit of the country. It was also intended as a warning cry to induce his people to lend a willing obedience to the Saviour, and to resolve to give their hearts to God. He concluded with an appeal to the congregation for aid on behalf of the widows and fatherless children, pointing out to his hearers that should they also be removed without warning from their wives and families, the wish of each would surely be that those they loved should not be cast friendless on the world. A collection was taken up at the close of the service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, REDFERN.

On Sunday evening the Rev. George Campbell addressed himself to the subject of the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon, in the Congregational Church, Cleveland-street, Redfern. He chose for his text 1. Thessalonians V., 1-6:—"But of the times and the seasons, brethren, ye have no need that I write unto you. For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night. For when they shall say peace and safety, then sudden destruction cometh upon them as travail upon a woman with child, and they shall not escape. But ye brethren are not in darkness that that day should overtake you as a thief. Ye are the children of light and the children of day. We are not of the night nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep as do others; but let us watch and be sober." Mr. Campbell pointed out how smoothly our lives glided on until suddenly there was a shock that broke the serenity and created in the mind of all deep thought and solid emotion. The news of the disaster came to our minds like a thief in the night, and when we were saying peace and safety sudden destruction came upon those in the vessel. There was a general feeling of distress to think that so many people had met with an appalling death close to the shore. After that feeling there came the demand for investigation, and the question was asked who, Was to blame for this disaster? Was it the act of God, or was it something over which men had control? The first lesson he wished to draw from the subject was from the shipowners' point of view. He had no wish to anticipate judicial inquiry, but there were certain facts from which they were entitled to draw a moral lesson. Shipowners entered into contracts to carry us safely from port to port. They built ships, and we sympathised with them in their losses just as we found fault when we had a right to do so. If a board of directors, in their eagerness to give larger dividends, forget their solemn contracts, endeavoured to make short passages to save coals, filled their vessels with inferior officers and men, and such a disaster took place, then it was out of the question to ask us to refrain from feelings of indignation. If a captain should keep two miles away from shore, but only kept half a mile away in order to shorten the passage, and was not blamed for doing so, then the directors were guilty of dereliction of duty. Love of money was the root of all evil, and he sincerely trusted this might not be brought home to the directors or owners of the vessel. Hot haste after wealth was destroying men's health and happiness, not only at sea, but on land. Yet, what did it avail a man to gain the whole world if he lost his soul? The second lesson he wished to draw was from the officers' point of view. Clearly, if the facts were as they had been laid before us in the press, someone had blundered. Some carelessness or deliberate violation of regulations had been the occasion, if not the cause, of this disaster. Was it a deliberate violation of duty? Duty in any capacity was a sacred service to God, and the man who performed his duty well was deserving of all honour, since fidelity to man was fidelity to God. In the third place, he desired to draw a lesson from the Divine point of view. The question might be asked, Why did such calamities take place? In considering this point he would bid them remember that God had given man an almost boundless power over nature, and He did not interfere in what man was able to accomplish for himself. The laws of nature were plastic and yielding to those who knew them, but if we dealt with them in ignorance they would rend us to pieces. In the last place he would view the question from the sufferers' point of view. He would remind his hearers that if a man was not fit for God when on earth he was not fit for him hereafter. Let us not sleep but watch, so that we may be ready to pass from this life through the momentary transition of death into the everlasting life to come.

MARRICKVILLE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

A very impressive sermon was preached yesterday evening in the Marrickville Congregational Church by the Rev. Robert Dey upon the subject of "The Shipwreck." The reverend gentleman selected as a text the words, "Fallen upon rocks," Acts, xxvii., 29. In his preliminary remarks he said that soon after they had separated on the previous Sunday evening one of the most terrible catastrophes that had occurred for many a day took place. To think of a ship with nearly 100 souls on board rushing almost of a heap upon the rocks under a lighthouse was something appalling. They had heard of ships foundering in mid-ocean or being overtaken by the fury of a storm, they had heard of ships enveloped in a fog losing their course and so coming to grief, and they had also heard of ships striking upon hidden rocks, but in the case of the Ly-ee-Moon there was no storm sufficient to account for the disaster. The sky was clear, the light was seen, there was no reef, and yet the ship was lost. When the vessel ran ashore the means of safety and rescue were so inadequate that little could be done. Gallant as were the efforts of the men on shore, they had no life-saving apparatus at hand, and so through the live-long night, and although a portion of the vessel was so near shore that cries for help could be distinctly heard, nothing could be done, and the men, women, and children were left to die. This terrible disaster was full of warning, and he trusted that it would be taken notice of in days to come. It was one of those calamities which could be distinctly traced to the hand of man. It need not have been. When calamity came from the hand of God, they could calmly submit, and say, "It is the Lord, let him do what seemeth him good." But when evil such as he had been speaking of was, done they felt that it was easier to fall into the hands of God than into the hands of man. He wished to call their attention to another voyage—the voyage of life. There were regulations for the voyage of life calculated to ensure safety. There were sailing orders, and on their voyage along the sea of life they had instructions how to steer. They had "line upon line, and precept upon precept," but this was all of no avail unless they obeyed. God had done all he could to provide regulations, and none need perish. The lines of a safe coast were all traced, the rocks all marked, the quicksands and undercurrents were all given, and if they obeyed the sailing orders their's would be a safe and prosperous voyage to the distant haven. If they did not obey the orders given, it would add to their condemnation, and their disobedience would be wilful. The rev. gentleman then went on to state that there were warning beacons on dangerous headlands, and that on many a rocky headland on the sea of life God had placed a warning beacon. He characterised petty dishonesty, gambling, licentiousness, and infidelity as rocky headlands which should be avoided, and after having enlarged upon these points, stated, in conclusion, that the carelessness of one might lead to the shipwreck of many. It was not his province to say whether the captain or the third mate of the Ly-ee-Moon was chiefly to blame for the disaster, but it was evident that one or the other, or perhaps both, had shown criminal carelessness. The poor men, women, and children were drowned, and the ship was lost because one man had failed to do his duty. Every man was to a certain extent his brother's keeper, and the carelessness of one might lead to the ruin of many. He would strongly urge upon them all, therefore, to beware and to keep clear of those rocky headlands to which he had referred, and upon which so many had been lost in the past.

ST. PAUL'S, BURWOOD.

"The Ly-ee-Moon Disaster, and Shipwrecks of Life" was the subject of a sermon delivered last evening by the Rev. A. R. Bartlett, M.A., in St. Paul's Church, Burwood. The preacher selected for his text Psalm cvii., 29, 30—"For He maketh the storm to cease: so that the waves thereof are still. Then are they glad, because they are at rest: and so He bringeth them unto the haven where they would be." In touching upon the main points of the subject, the reverend gentleman feelingly referred to the circumstance that upon the preceding Sunday evening the congregation were singing that beautiful hymn commencing with the words, "Eternal Father, strong to save." As near as it were possible, at about the time those who had then assembled were joining in that hymn, the distressing shipwreck of the Ly-ee-Moon occurred. At that moment, probable, there were a number of persons upon that vessel praying to the Father—praying, perhaps, as they had never prayed before. Why it was that the Eternal Father should have allowed such a disastrous calamity to take place, we could not tell. Had we rightly called it a "disaster"? Rather would he call it by another name. As far as we could tell, the occurrence was the result of a frightful want of care on the part of some who had the lives of others in their hands. Three-fourths of the troubles of this life were the result of men's utter negligence. Little was it thought that on the preceding Sunday evening some members of a family there represented in the church were perishing even at the moment the sweet hymn to which he had referred was being sung. This was a national trouble. We should pray to God to take care of those who were left behind to mourn a sad loss, in order that the tears of the widows and orphans might be dried. Before concluding his sermon, he would speak with the utmost solemnity of the "shipwrecks of life." Were the young men present seeing that their course was right, or were they hugging the shore in order that they might make a quick passage? He would warn them to be careful; for, as in the case of this shipwreck, in a moment the crash might come. Had they not seen youths fresh from a public school go astray? These youths were shipwrecked on the rocks of passion. Only those who had the love of God in their hearts could withstand the storm of passion and disappointment. Might He who had started their ship on the ocean of time guide that ship through smooth waters or rough—guide it into the mansions of the blest!

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, REDFERN.

The Rev. T. J. Curtis, who had been announced to preach on the wreck of the steamer Ly-ee-Moon, delivered a very eloquent discourse to a well-filled church last evening. The rev. gentleman took for his text a portion of the 29th verse of 12th chapter of the Gospel of St. Luke—"Neither be ye of doubtful mind." He said that probably many present would wonder how he would bring his text to bear on his theme, but they would perhaps cease to wonder when they knew the true literal signification of the text. It was this, "Be not tossing about on the open sea." It was one of the briefest, but most precious and significant, of our Lord's parables, and we cannot but wonder and regret that, in consequence of the defective translation of the passage, both in the old and in the revised version of the New Testament, this beautiful, unique, and wise parable should have been kept completely from most Bible readers and Gospel hearers for nineteen centuries. The true meaning of the Greek was known to the learned, and a free translation would read thus, "Do not toss about in the windy offing, when you may ride safely in the sheltered haven." It is the only instance recorded of our Lord making reference to that wide and great sea, the Mediterranean, which to the Jew ignorant of the greater oceans beyond, and with his primitive appliances for navigation, formed so awful a spectacle in its vastness and roughness. The context instructed us as to the spiritual significance of this parable, "Do not toss about on the wide dangerous sea of Care on which so many make shipwreck, but rather take shelter in the safe and tranquil harbour of trust in God." We have all to sail across the sea of life, and must needs encounter some storms ere we reach the heavenly harbour; but we are very apt to expose ourselves to storms we might avoid, and render ourselves miserable by anticipating storms not yet come upon us. In this parable Christ condemns and declares unnecessary that state of spirit such as sets too high a value on earthly things; inordinate straining after earthly things, unwise care and unnecessary anxiety about the future; dread apprehension as to what might yet happen to us. Inferentially in the parable, and positively in the context, he exhorts us ever to seek shelter in the harbour of Trust in God. The reverend gentleman, when touching upon his immediate subject, said that in the wreck of the steamer Ly-ee-Moon, with the loss of nearly 70 souls, we had had, he thought, the most shocking and heart-rending shipping disaster that had ever occurred on the Australian coast. The steamer left Melbourne with every indication of a speedy and safe voyage, when, with no adverse wind or current, and under a blazing light, she dashed on the rock immediately under that light; but how an awful catastrophe like this brought out in prominent relief at once some of the basest and the noblest characteristics of human nature. Like the persecutions of the Church, they serve God's high and holy purposes, who would be ever teaching man what man is, and educating him for heaven. Mr. Curtis, at some length, dwelt upon the negligence that appeared to have taken place, and the indifference of the Government to the value of human life, for why were not all our lighthouses provided with life-saving apparatus? Why was there not a law to compel shipmasters to keep a safe distance from the coast? The noble conduct of Daniel Whelan and George Walters in risking their own lives to save others, Bergland's brave descent to get a rope, the kindness of Mrs. Skelton and Mrs. Whelan were deserving of recognition, and were some of the noble characteristics brought out. The reverend gentleman concluded by exhorting his hearers to remember those words, "Be ye also ready," for we do not know what any moment may bring forth before we may be called into the presence of God to give account of our doings. Are you ready?

WATERLOO CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the Waterloo Congregational Church last night the Rev. E. Adams, to a large and attentive congregation, delivered a sermon on the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon. Most of the hymns sung were appropriate to the occasion, particularly one of Sankey's, the first verse of which reads—

"Fierce and wild the storm is raging
Round a helpless bark;
On to doom 'tis swiftly driving
O'er the waters dark."

Taking his text from the prophecies of Jeremiah, 49th chapter, and part of the 23rd verse—"There is sorrow on the sea; it cannot be quiet"—the preacher proceeded to speak of shipwreck, how thrilling, how eloquent the word had become within the past few days. It had startled, stunned, and perplexed us all, and yet we had seen the skirts of the cloud. We did not know what family sorrow, deep privation, and national loss had been sustained. One of the most puzzling and apparently unmeaning of the sayings in the Book of the Apocalypse was, "And there shall be no more sea," but viewed in a figurative sense, as all sayings in the Bible should be viewed, it was pregnant with significance. The text he had taken that evening was itself symbolical, and meant by the prophet to express the sorrows of the city of Damascus. The sea, cruel as the grave, gave not up its dead, but the day was coming when there would be no more sea. In our day we were proud of the triumphs of marine architecture, in which speed was to such a large extent combined with safety, and looked upon the perils incidental in olden times to a sea voyage as a thing of the past. But science had not done everything; machinery had not destroyed every element of danger. In viewing the circumstances attending the recent loss of the ill-fated Ly-ee-Moon, there was every cause for pain and sorrow. It was not like the sinking of a battle ship with all the crew at their posts and the colours flying. In that case destruction was called glory, but here there was no consolation. It was not as if the sea had struck the boat with hurricane force and sent her upon the reef. We could not ignore the fact that the captain, despite his gallant behaviour afterwards, did not take necessary precautions. Green Cape was known and recognised as a point of danger, and yet he had told the third mate that he could with safety navigate within half a mile of the headland. He thought it his duty to say that the ship had been handled in a hazardous way. Comparing it to the voyage of life, we must sail carefully, otherwise we will never anchor in the heavenly harbour. The tendency to hug the shore might be taken as metaphorical of the instinct of man to think more of this world than of the free safe expanse of religion. Another lesson to be derived from the disaster was that death may come to us very suddenly. In a very few moments shortly after the congregation had left that church on the previous Sabbath, the gallant ship which had been ploughing the buoyant waves struck on a reef, parted, and was covered with the blue water. Some met with instantaneous death; others had a little longer time to meet their God. But what was such a time as that for such a purpose? That was why we should all be prepared. We were not called upon to drop the joys of this life—far from it—but to hold them so lightly that we could drop them when the call came. An hour previously had those on the doomed vessel been warned to prepare for death they would have laughed. Another thought suggested was that death is no respecter of persons. True, the captain had been saved, but of the others some were taken from all classes—officers, crew, and passengers, mother and child, husband and wife, Catholic and Protestant. Again we should reflect over opportunities given us in this life which, if not taken promptly, perchance could not be taken at all. This thought was strikingly illustrated by the account which appeared in the *Sydney Morning Herald* of the escape of a little boy named Henry Adams through a porthole. What if the porthole had not been open, and what if he had not embraced the opportunity? A few moments afterwards the vessel canted over, rendering escape by that means impossible. The porthole of salvation had been opened by Jesus Christ. It was not shut against any of us now, but might be some day. Finally, men make up to the truth when it is too late. Directly the vessel struck, the engines were reversed and every means taken to avert the catastrophe. A death bed was an unfavourable place for repentance, and yet how many men wake up to the truth when it is "too late!" He would exhort his hearers to seek the Lord at once; not to hug the land of this world, but to steer for the blue open sea of righteousness.

At the close of the sermon a collection was taken up in aid of those rendered destitute by the loss of husbands and fathers in the ill-fated vessel, the preacher making a touching appeal on their behalf.

THE LAMBTON STRIKE.

PROBABLE SETTLEMENT OF THE DIFFICULTY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, SATURDAY.

The conference between the Associated Masters and the representatives of the Labour Conference concluded to-day. A clause has been adopted, in addition to the original miners' general agreement, which will admit of such matters as have caused the Lambton strike to be submitted at once to arbitration and thus prevent continued strikes or a lock-out. The new clause will be submitted to the district lodges as quickly as possible, and when approved of the Lambton strike may virtually be said to be over. Everything passed off harmoniously, and the result of the conference has given great satisfaction in the city and district.

VOLUNTEER PARADE AT NEWCASTLE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, SUNDAY.

The annual inspection of the 4th Regiment of New South Wales Volunteer Infantry took place yesterday afternoon in the Waratah Recreation Reserve. The officers present were Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes, Major Rancland, Captain Burnage, Lieutenants Langwill and Hyde. The Newcastle, Maitland, Singleton, Wallsend, Lambton, and Morpeth Companies were present. The inspection took place before Major-General Richardson, C.B., and Major Mackenzie, A.A.G. The total number of troops was 526. Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes addressed the non-commissioned officers, reminding them that a theoretical and practical examination would soon take place. He also addressed the battalion, and expressed himself highly pleased with the inspection. The regiment went through drill and other manœuvres in a highly satisfactory manner. Major-General Richardson expressed his satisfaction to Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes at the high state of efficiency of the troops. The whole inspection was highly successful from every point of view.

THE CHINESE IMPERIAL FAMILY.

Writing from Pekin on February 15, the correspondent of the *Times* says:—

"Much interest is awakened in the coming events in the Imperial family. The Emperor is approaching maturity, being now 16. His guardians have been letting him out gradually, and during the present winter he has enjoyed much recreation on the ice on the lakes which form the most beautiful features of the palace grounds. Her Imperial Majesty the Empress Regent has also spent much of her time out of doors. But the time has now arrived to prepare for the marriage of the young Emperor, and all Manchu families above a certain rank having daughters between the ages of 12 and 18 must bring them to the palace for inspection by the officials charged with the duty of choosing a consort for the sovereign. These pilgrims of love have in many cases to perform long and arduous journeys from their homes, and it would not be difficult to construct a romance out of the incidents of such pilgrimages, the hope which sings in the maiden's bosom each fresh morning when she resumes her journey, the disgust and despair which serve her for pillows each night as she bemoans her aching limbs in a dismal, dust-begrimed roadside inn, with not even a Turkish bath on the premises. The girls are said not to be detained long in suspense—the worst part of hanging, according to the Hibernian saying—but the rejected ones are promptly restored to their parents and guardians, and return to their homes perhaps sadder, if wiser, but probably in most cases thanking their divinities that the ordeal is over, and that the interdict against their marriage is at length removed. For a year at least before the Empress is chosen no Manchu girl within the prescribed limits of age and of eligible rank is allowed to marry.

"Another pilgrimage shortly to be undertaken attracts great attention, for it, too, marks an epoch, and may have wider-reaching practical consequences. The Empress Regent, the Emperor, and the 'Seventh Prince,' the father of the Emperor, with all the Court, will leave the capital on April 1, to visit the tomb of the late Empress Dowager, who was known as the Eastern Empress, the childless widow of Heinfung. The last Emperor, Tungchu, is also buried there, in the Tungling, or Eastern Tombs, situated among the hills that bound the plain of Chihli on the north, and about 100 miles east from Pekin. An Imperial progress in China somewhat resembles the journeys of Catherine II., and Potemkin, the road-maker, is a permanent but unobtrusive institution. Whatever may be the shortcomings of the Chinese, there is one thing in which they excel all creation, and that is digging holes and filling them up. A fiat of a high official throws a swarm of mud-carrying ants—be they soldiers or only 'coolies' it is much the same—on to a line of road, and in an incredibly short time its valleys are exalted and its hills are brought low, the rough places become smooth and the crooked plain. Such is the transformation which the Imperial road to the tombs is now undergoing, and when the time comes for the Imperial *cortège* to traverse it its surface will be as smooth as a billiard-table. Unfortunately the Chinese know not Macadam, and their road-making runs into the two extremes of soft and hard—either loose sand or mud, which is washed away by the first rain or blown away by the first gale, or else solid blocks of granite, murderous to axles and the bones of travellers, and when worn into deep holes destructive to the poor animals which have to draw loads over them.

"The annual festival or anniversary of 'Tsing Ming' falls this year on the 5th of April by our calendar, on which day the whole people of China visit the graves of their families. This is called, in the offensive parlance of the missionaries, the 'worship of ancestors,' and is held by them as a horrible species of idolatry, which they think themselves commissioned to denounce with all the terrors in the Biblical *répertoire*. Pure nonsense. Filial piety, or ancestral worship—it is the same thing—is the healthiest moral sentiment the Chinese have got, and the missionaries, if they knew their business, would build on that foundation instead of breaking their heads against it. But, meritorious or not, here are the great Emperor and the Court showing the example to all the people of paying respect to the memory of the departed. And on the very same day, when the whole nation is engaged in the like service, the greatest personages of the Empire will prostrate themselves before the graves of their sainted predecessors.

"When the ceremony is over the Emperor and Empress Regent will return to the capital, but the Prince Ch'un will proceed on a tour which may have important practical results for China. It may be remembered that the Prince is the head of the Marine Board, which was constituted during the Viceroy Li Hung Chang's visit to the capital in October. By virtue of that office the Prince has determined to come out from the seclusion of the capital, and visit some points on the Northern seaboard. First, of course, he will come to Tientsin, where a residence will be prepared for him at the Haikwan Szu, or 'Treaty Joss-house,' the temple where Lord Elgin signed the Treaty of Tientsin in 1858. The Viceroy is to meet the Imperial party on the road leading from Pekin to the Eastern Tombs, and will escort them with a suitable display to the tombs. Then he will accompany the Prince to Tientsin. The camps round about will probably be inspected, and the Prince will visit the arsenal, also the forts at Taku. After that he will make his first sea voyage in proceeding to the new naval dockyard of Port Arthur, and from there he may possibly visit other points in the gulf. There will then be a chance—nay, a necessity—of the Prince coming in contact with foreigners, and so much interest attaches to this that it is expected some of the foreign ministers resident in Pekin will make some excuse for visiting Tientsin in the hope of getting speech of the inaccessible personage. That, however, would be a false move on their part. The ice once broken, and foreigners once admitted to direct intercourse with the Court, there is no saying what barriers may be broken down; and, at any rate, the way will be prepared for the young Emperor receiving the foreign ministers in audience when he assumes the government. It is expected that the Marquis Tseng, when he returns to China, will be able to bring about many important reforms in the intercourse between the Chinese and foreign officials in Pekin."

RETURN OF MR. T. DALTON, M.L.A., FROM EUROPE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ORANGE, SATURDAY.

Mr. Thomas Dalton, who was returned one of the members for this district at the last election during his absence in England, paid his first visit to the constituency since his return home to-night. He arrived by the passenger train, and was met at the station by a large number of his friends and supporters, and was tendered a public recognition. After interchange of congratulations, he was conducted to a drag which was in waiting, and a procession having been formed, headed by a band and torch-bearers, he was escorted to the residence of Mr. M. Casey, whose guest he is. After a renewal of courtesies and other demonstrations of welcome, the party dispersed. Mr. Dalton will address the electors in the Oddfellows' Hall on Monday night, after which he will be entertained in an impromptu manner at the Club House Hotel.

THE EARLY MORNING TRAIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I was much pleased at hearing your comments in this morning's sub-leader anent the alterations in the train service between Sydney and Albury, and I heartily agree with you that the Minister for Works is to be congratulated upon having successfully grappled with an anomaly which should long ago have ceased to exist. The principal mail from Sydney to Melbourne will not be interfered with, while the second or supplementary mail proposed, though leaving this city in the morning instead of at night, will only be slightly delayed. Added to the advantage—by no means an inconsiderable one—of the dwellers in the bordertowns of New South Wales getting their own newspapers as early as those of Victoria, merchants will now be able to leave Sydney in comfortable time to transact their business in the principal Southern towns.

My business frequently calls me to Goulburn, Gunning, Yass, and other places between this city and Wagga Wagga, and I feel sure that those who like myself have had the misfortune to arrive at any of these places at the middle of the night, and take their chance of a shakedown on a rickety sofa, will appreciate a morning train which lands them at daylight fresh for their work.

I am, &c., MERCHANT.

HOMEBUSH SALES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Some months back meetings were held, and deputations to the Mayor organised, with a view of making an alteration in the sale days at Homebush, some of the agents being in favour of one sale day a week, and others for keeping them as at present; but I do not recollect that anything was said about one sale day a week for sheep, and another for cattle.

At present both sheep and cattle are sold on the one day, the sheep sales commencing first, and it is often after 2 o'clock before the sale of cattle can begin, and I may mention as a fact that on Thursday, the 27th May, one salesman was holding a lantern while the other was taking the bids. I admit this was a rather exceptional thing, but in many cases when there is a heavy supply of sheep the sale of cattle does not commence until the afternoon, so that an agent who is unfortunate enough to draw the last sale has in all probability to sacrifice his constituents' stock, as most of the buyers have left the yards before his turn comes round.

As a remedy for this state of things I would suggest that owners and agents take into grave consideration the advisability of having still two sale days a week, but with this difference, that one of the days is kept wholly for cattle, and the other for sheep, thus giving both agents and buyers more time to deal with the stock, and the former a better chance of doing justice to their constituents than is possible under the present state of affairs.

I am, &c., W. W. RICHARDSON.
Moonagee Hall, Ashfield, June 4.

The official who was in charge of the station at Roquebrune during the stationmaster's absence when the railway accident near Monte Carlo occurred, has been sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—June 5.

Tenterden (s.), 1539 tons, Captain George Tait, from Adelaide 1st instant. Passengers—Mrs. Collins and 2 children, Mr. John Peterson, Mr. C. A. Creswell, and 12 in the steerage. A. S. N. Company, agents.

Rockton (s.), 1971 tons, Captain D. Calder, from Levuka and Suva 21st ultimo, and Noumea 1st instant. Passengers—Mrs. A. Stevens, Mrs. H. Parsons 4 children and servant, Mrs. F. F. Runenschelder child and servant, Mrs. Otway 2 children 2 servants, Mrs. T. Mitchell, Mrs. T. Johnston and servant, Miss Florrie Stevens, Miss A. Stevens, Messrs. A. Stevens, Rev. W. Cousins, Dr. Hussard, Dr. A. Hassion, Messrs. J. Wyness, J. Vernon, H. Sampson, Master Stevens, and 6 in the steerage. A. S. N. Company, agents.

Egmont (s.), 670 tons, Captain T. L. Johnston, from Rockhampton 30th ultimo, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Campbell, Misses Bond, Leonard, Searle, R. Pierre, Prim, Archibald, Wal. Ross, Carmichael, Pile, and Johnston, Dr. Dickson, Messrs. G. G. Crespin, Fred. Crespin, Geodion Crespin, Farracuff, Campbell, and 11 in the steerage. A. S. N. Company, agents.

Haydn Brown, American barque, 821 tons, Captain C. H. Havener, from Boston February 23. Passenger—Mr. Metcalfe. Scott, Henderson, and Co., agents.

Sharpshooter, barque, 489 tons, Captain John Horne, from Eureka, Humboldt Bay, March 4. Passengers—Mrs. Horne and family (3). J. C. Ellis, agent.

Loch Naw, barque, 277 tons, Captain P. A. Peterson, from Hokianga, N.Z., 25th ultimo. Passenger—Mrs. Peterson. J. C. Ellis, agent.

Clifton, barque, 380 tons, Captain A. Bankier, from Dunedin 22nd instant. Passengers—Mr. Leonard, and three in the steerage. R. T. Gibson, agent.

June 6.

Burwah (s.), 980 tons, Captain J. H. South, from Rockhampton, via Maryborough and Brisbane 4th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Kettelly, Mrs. O'Regan, Mrs. White, Messrs. E. Steele, J. Hinton, G. Packer, James Hutton, Hunter, George Markwell, W. H. Trail, D. C. O'Regan, and 10 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Richmond (s.), 640 tons, Captain B. Alley, from Richmond River 4th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Pinchin, Mrs. M'Intyre, Mrs. Partridge, Mrs. Lawless, Mrs. Solomon, Mrs. M'Kenzie, Mrs. Cowdery, Mrs. Froud, Mrs. Smith, Messrs. Solomon, Stedman, Lock, Murphy, Skinner, Chynworth, Anderson, Pringle, Askew, Bailey, Partridge, Moore, Buchanan, Master Buchanan, and 18 in the steerage. B. B. Nicoll, agent.

Woodburn (s.), 400 tons, Captain E. Farrell, from Macleay River 5th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Reilly, Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. M'Cue, Mrs. Dart, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Garvan, Mrs. Kemp, Miss Lynn, Miss Lowenthall, Miss Briggs, Miss Thistlewaite, Messrs. W. Collins, F. Kemp, G. A. M'Diarmid, E. F. Gale, W. Blackman, J. Reilly, W. Gould, J. Lynn, M. Seacomb, W. Bradley, M. Sweeney, F. Farmer, Master Kennedy, and 11 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Platypus (s.), 217 tons, Captain W. B. Nelson, from Clarence River 4th instant. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Queen of the South (s.), 198 tons, Captain H. Wood, from Richmond River 4th instant. Passengers—4 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Eurimbla (s.), 1055 tons, Captain Cottier, from Rockhampton hampton 1st instant, via Ports. Passengers: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. Lewton, Mr. and Mrs. Macalister and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrier and two children, Mrs. E. M'Donald, Rev. Father Barry, Messrs. A. Markson, E. Lenoven, Horton, L. Patrick, J. Sidley, M'Leod, M'Gill, E. S. Pearson, D. M'Fie, G. T. Hungerford, O. H. Massey, Keppel, A. Turnour, E. Flowers, H. W. Weston, Hussy, C. Cuthbush, James Dyer, and 14 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

City of Grafton (s.), 825 tons, Captain J. Magee, from Grafton 5th instant. Passengers: Mrs. M'Laughlin, Mrs. Cochrane, Miss Gunthorpe, Miss Phillips, Messrs. J. Haseldon, W. H. Sharpe, W. Walmsley, G. M. Griffiths, G. A. Smith, A. Eggins, T. H. Hicks, C. Barry, E. Holden, S. Isaacs, E. Mackey, G. Packer (2), S. Studd, J. Cran, and five in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Co., agents.

Australian (s.), 363 tons, Captain H. Chudleigh, from Clarence River 5th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Duggan, Mr. Bailley, Mr. Marcolino, and 8 in the steerage. John See and Co., agents.

Fernmount (s.), 200 tons, Captain R. Taplin, from Bellinger River 5th instant. Passengers—Miss Barrett, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Hanley, Messrs. R. Reeves, Catt, and 2 in the steerage. John See and Co., agents.

Allowrie (s.), 505 tons, Captain G. Walker, from Eden and Southern ports 5th instant. Passengers—Miss Wilson, Miss Byrnes, Miss Mitchell, Miss Golder, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Rossborough, Messrs. Councill, Byrnes, Cox, Bernard, Chauval, Moreau, M'Donald, Wilkinson, Williams, Innis, Fotheringham, Captain Webber, and 4 in the steerage. I. S. N. Company, agents.

Lady Bowen, barque, 892 tons, Captain Lewis Rodd, from Puget Sound March 19. Passenger—Mrs. Rodd. J. C. Ellis, agent.

Tweed (s.), 240 tons, Captain L. Tulloch, from Tweed River 3rd instant, via Byron Bay 4th instant. G. W. Nicoll, agent.

Gabo (s.), 2070 tons, Captain W. Donaldson, from Melbourne 4th instant. Passengers—Miss Scott, Miss Bedford, Miss M'Ewan, Miss Stanborough, Mrs. Alderdice, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. Stanborough, Mrs. O'Connor, Mrs. H. Slater, Dr. and Mrs. Clatworth, Messrs. H. Bloore, Nixon, F. W. Mabbott, Wilson, L. S. Patterson, R. Slater, E. Andrews, J. Benson, E. Walker, J. White, C. Leitch, W. Miller, C. Slater, J. J. Anderson, R. D. G. M'Pherson, Kyle, Houston, J. Leghar, Bedford, Master C. Slater, and 104 in the steerage. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Coraki (s.), 350 tons, Captain S. Postans, from Richmond River 4th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Carter, Miss Simpson, Messrs. Smith, M'Lean, Milnes, Doherty, Gorton, and six in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Maranoa (s.), 1505 tons, Captain W. W. Hampton, from Cooktown, via ports. Burns, Philp, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—June 5.

R.M.S. Orient (s.), for London, via ports.
Wakatipu (s.), for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Port Chalmers.
Wentworth (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports.
Leura (s.), for Brisbane.
Birksgate (s.), for Melbourne.
Barrabool (s.), for Melbourne.
Corangamite (s.), for Melbourne.
Fiado (s.), for Melbourne, via Newcastle.
Yeoman (s.), for Gladstone.
Fairlie, three-masted schooner, for Solomon Islands.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—June 7.

Simla (s.), for Melbourne; Dunottar Castle, ship, for Wilmington and San Francisco; Haverton (s.), for King Sound and Cambridge Gulf; Richmond (s.), Platypus (s.), for Richmond River; Tweed (s.), for Tweed River; Rosedale (s.), for Manning River; Fernmount (s.), for Bellinger River; Brunswick (s.), for Port Macquarie; Woodburn (s.), for Macleay River; Meeinderry (s.), for Shoalhaven and Broughton Creek.

CLEARANCES.—June 5.

R.M.S. Orient, 5386 tons, Captain W. S. Hewison, for London, via ports. Passengers—For London: From Sydney, Mr. and Mrs. Denniston, Mr. and Mrs. Paget, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and child, Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Davies, Mrs. James and 3 children, Mrs. Dewar, Mrs. Rigby, Mrs. James, Mrs. Struvers and child and maid, Mrs. M. Cortis and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Leader and child, Miss Bulkeley, Miss B. Bulkeley, Miss E. Parker, Miss Hordley, Miss Boulton, Miss Cooper, Miss Lawson, Miss Kellerman, Miss Waddell, Rev. H. Barker, Dr. D. Grant, Messrs. J. C. Young, Bramley, Whiffen, Smith, T. Lewis, Waddell, Tournay, G. Berry, G. Van Brakkel, C. J. Ross, H. E. Ross, A. F. Seidler, Rennie, J. Allan, E. Hicks, A. A. Bath, T. Bibsworth, Bulkeley, J. Harper, W. Edmundson, H. Riddle, P. M'Donald, H. Pears, D. C. Hollander, Master F. Brakkel, and 84 in the third class and steerage. From Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. Carbury, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson and child, Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Keatch, Mr. and Mrs. Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Broome, Mr. and Mrs. Gladcke and child, Mrs. Linsley, Mrs. Von Steiglitz, Mrs. Cochran, Mrs. Lauchert, Miss Murphy, Miss Grey, Miss Bottomley, Miss Von Steiglitz, Miss Thacker, Messrs. G. Crane, Wallace, Carbury, J. Grieve, P. O'Neill, A. G. Davies, J. Hatton, T. Hartley, Master Lawrence. From Sydney to Melbourne: Mr. M. Grant, Mr. F. B. Hardy, Miss Haward, Miss Woolf, Mrs. Armitage and maid, Mr. H. Robinson, Mr. F. L. Wilson, Mr. W. Lucy, Mr. W. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Anslow, Mr. Barron, Mr. Bulteau, Miss Musgrove, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Corner.

Wentworth (s.), 956 tons, Captain J. Higgins, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Young, Miss Young, Mrs. Hodgson, Miss C. Clarke, Mrs. Lomax, Mrs. Upward and child, Miss Hean, Mrs. C. Purchase, Mrs. Burgess and infant, Messrs. J. C. Higginson, J. C. Walker, P. Fallon, J. Jager, G. W. Power, H. W. Byron, P. Kiely, W. H. Bandy, E. F. Upward, T. F. Huntley, A. G. Ascher, E. K. Flemming, E. L. Drew, W. Smith, W. Granberg, J. Paterson, A. S. Paterson, Lomax, and 15 in the steerage.

Birksgate (s.), 1458 tons, Captain N. R. Fleetwood, for Melbourne. Passengers—Miss F. Davis, Miss Ticott, Miss Wood, Miss J. Allen, Miss Sweet, Messrs. J. H. Huthwaite, J. G. Houen, A. J. Macauley, W. W. Cobb, A. Payne, J. Swinney, and 20 in the steerage.

Leura (s.), 1186 tons, Captain J. Pain, for Brisbane. Passengers—Mrs. D'Arcy and servant, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. G. Kelly, Mrs. Clements, Mrs. E. Cornelius, Mrs. Holloway, Mrs. W. J. Holloway, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Hodgson, Mrs. Antcliffe, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Kebbell, Mrs. Taylor Petrie, Misses D'Arcy (2), Miss Davenport, Miss Smith, Miss Swan, Miss Turpin, Miss Brennan, Miss J. M'Kelly, Miss B. Mellin, Miss Mitchell, Miss Ackman, Messrs. Darcy, W. E. Bayley, A. G. Tilley, J. S. Lehrle, J. G. Place, T. R. Wilkinson, J. F. Scott, Barbier, Jennings, Jewett, W. K. Ferrier, Mather, D. Moffatt, G. Moffatt, Thompson, F. Empson, R. Short, L. M. Benjamin, M. Marks, Rosenolegel, R. Walsh, T. Corrigan, W. R. Hall, W. S. Hall, P. P. Samuel, M. M. Walker, M. Gyle, A. Dahl, A. L. Petrie, Taylor, H. Finselbach, Montefiore, Marks, L. Benjamin, Dr. Kebbell, D. Merson, Davenport, T. Garland, Heinecke, J. O. Whitmore, H. W. Hardwick, W. J. Fergusson, M.L.A., H. D. Donald, Turpin, Speeding, J. H. Thompson, Hon. F. M. Darley, and 41 in the steerage.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain F. H. Stanford, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Capes, Mrs. Inman and infant, Mrs. Gair and infant, and 11 in the steerage.

Fiado (s.), 630 tons, Captain D. Doughton, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

Corangamite (s.), 2600 tons, Captain P. Le Neveu, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Cole, Misses Cole, Mrs. Powell, Misses Powell, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Bright, Miss J. Thorne, Miss R. L. Casey, Miss A. Foster, Miss Frost, Miss Follande, Miss L. Le Vine, Messrs. W. Williams, D. Harris, J. W. Phillips, J. Cook, G. E. P. Evans, E. De Montour, Masters Powell (3), Cole (3), Eddie Le Vine, and 13 in the steerage.

Simla (s.), 1039 tons, Captain A. S. Calder, for Melbourne, with part of original cargo from Calcutta.

Yeoman (s.), 1426 tons, Captain J. Pankhurst, for Gladstone.

Dunnottar Castle, ship, 1702 tons, Captain H. A. Martin, for San Francisco, via Wilmington.

COASTERS INWARD.—June 5.

Woonona (s.), from Bulli, with 700 tons coal; Alhambra (s.), from Newcastle, with 700 tons coal; Integrity, from Port Stephens, with 24,000 feet timber; Caledonia, from Port Stephens, with 23,000 feet timber; Clara Jackson, from Botany, with 31 casks tallow; Crest of the Wave, from Newcastle, with 160 tons coal; Scotia, from Kiama, with 80 tons blue metal; Lena and Lillian, from Hawkesbury River, with 48 tons firewood.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—June 5.

Woonona (s.), for Bulli; Alhambra (s.), Clara Jackson (s.), Crest of the Wave, Scotia, for Newcastle; Integrity, Caledonia, for Port Stephens; Collaroy (s.), for Clarence River; Lena and Lillian, for Hawkesbury River; Mary Ann, for Wollongong.

IMPORTS.—June 5.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Rockton (s.), from Fiji and Noumea: 8600 bunches bananas, 128 sacks peanuts, 70 sacks oysters, 1352 sacks copra, 8 sacks old copper, 546 sacks cocoanuts, 55 sacks maize, 20 sacks fibre dust, 14 sacks beche-de-mer, 100 cases wine, 2658 bags nickel ore, 222 bales fibre, 3 cases coral, 5 cases plants, 679 mats sugar, 409 bags cobalt, 16 empty casks, 3 bales drapery, and 17 packages sundries.

Tenterden (s.), from Adelaide: 830 bags and 2200 quarter-bags flour, 282 cases wine, 104 cases whiskey, 98 cases gin, 130 cases sauce, 115 cases jams, 26 cases eggs, 4 casks ditto, 1 bundle castings, 4 cases hams, 2 cases olive plants, and 20 packages sundries.

Clifton, from Dunedin: 653 packages old metal, 2 packages old copper, 6 packages tea lead, 20 bags bran, 368 bags wheat, 40 bags barley, 3010 bags oats, 1 case beeswax, 200 packages flour, 80 bags oatmeal, 150 bags potatoes, 2 bags bacon, and 1481 packages and bags produce for Newcastle.

Haydn Brown, from Boston: 6100 cases oil, 1 barrel oil, 80 pieces staves, 2 packages hardware, 41 pairs wheels and axles, 52 cases nails, 231 cases 41 barrels blacking, 6944 pieces sycamore boards, 139 boxes ash lumber, 17 packages whitewood lumber, 90 pieces birch, 1612 pieces siding lumber, 9865 pieces shelving boards, 185 cases [illegible], 315 barrels plaster, 55 boxes mucilage, 28 bags sumac, 2 packages soap, 24 tierces tobacco, 25 cases organs, 2 cases carriages and fittings, 15 packages handles, 30 packages leather, 8 cases perambulators, 205 cases chairs, 2 cases tops, 448 doors, 3 cases drugs, 12 boxes sandpaper, 5 cases patent medicines, 49 cases medicine, 3 cases rubber goods, 23 cases pumps, 2 packages machinery, and 1197 packages merchandise.

Loch Naw, from Hokianga, N.Z.: 241,000 feet lumber.

Sharpshooter, from Eureka, Humboldt Bay: 324,000 feet redwood lumber.

June 6.

Burwah (s.), from Rockhampton via ports: 270 bags bones, 12 bales wool, 19 cases beer, 74 cases pines, 25 bags oysters, 12 bags potatoes, 200 hides, 40 bags horns, 20 bales sheep skins, 1 box gold, 23 bags nails, and sundries.

Gabo (s.), from Melbourne: 9383 bags chaff, 254 bales hay, 1161 bags flour, 213 sacks oatmeal, 454 bags onions, 1503 bags potatoes, 70 bags pollard, 214 bags carrots, 355 bags oats, 50 bales chaff, 40 bags coal dust, 180 packages machinery, 23 cases and 34 pieces machinery; 680 cases, 7 trusses, 6 tanks, 7 bales, 9 parcels, 56 boxes, 38 casks, 4 packages, 24 barrels, 4 drums, 2 pipes merchandise; 83 pieces stone, 700 cubes, 28 crates vegetables, 9 baskets rabbits.

Lady Bowen, from Puget Sound: 670,000 feet lumber.

Eurimbla (s.), from Rockhampton, via ports: 800 bags sugar, 131 hides, 89 bunches bananas, 10 casks tallow, 12 bales sheepskins, 5 bales kangaroo skins, 5 cases oil, 33 empty sample cases, 8 cases sundries, and 1032ozs. 7dwt. 12grs. gold (Queensland National Bank).

Ex Ethiopian: 2 cases Salter's balances, 1 case fire irons, 1 case floor cramps and wheel valves.—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Valetta: 1 case single-barrel B.L. guns and box locks, 1 case saloon rifles, 8 casks bolts and nuts, 144 turned and fitted axle arms.—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Derwent: 10 casks coach screws, 1 case Stub's files, 2 bales wool mops, 1 cask Adam's furniture polish, 30 bundles Ward and Payne's spades, 18 bundles digging forks, 7 kegs wrought clout nails, 20 kegs galvanised clout nails, 15 kegs cask clouts, 6 kegs scupper nails, 10 kegs hurdle nails, 70 kegs D. H. spikes, 3 cases mirrors, 9 bales and 1 case bass and hair brooms, 16 bales cotton waste, 50 cases cartridges.—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex s.s. Energie: 225 cases wire nails, 3 cases Turkey stones.—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

EXPORTS.—June 5.

R.M.S. Orient, for London: 861 bales wool, 25 bales furskins, 64 bales sheepskins, 33 bales leather, 110 salted dry hides, 101 casks tallow, 216 cases preserved meats, 93 bags wattle bark, 116 cases pearlshell, 13 bars silver bullion (£4350), 13 boxes sovereigns (£61,000), 1 case platinum (£600), 5022 ingots tin, 11,331 ingots copper, and 125 packages sundries.

Wentworth (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports: 92 bags oats, 63 bags bran, 152 bags potatoes, 20 bags maize, 19 bags onions, 79 bags chaff, 10 sacks wheat, 20 bags flour, 105 cases fruit, 15 packages plants, 25 bags coke, 200 bolts, 20 packages hardware, 3 cases galvanised iron, 100 coils wire, 30 cases bitters, 20 cases champagne, 20 packages spirits, 6 cases cigars, 1 case piano, 100 cases jam, 6 cases chairs, 25 packages groceries, 25 cases fish, 10 packages books and stationery, 12 cases drapery, 56 cases boots, 1 parcel notes (£1300), and a large quantity of sundries; also, original cargo from Melbourne.

Birksgate (s.), for Melbourne: 566 pieces furniture, 8 packages kapok, 6 cases galvanised iron, 239 hides, 3 cases drapery, 9 trunks boots and shoes, 90 packages wines and spirits, 4 bags oysters, 921 cases fruit, 150 cases salmon, 157 packages tea, 300 bags maize, 20 bales wool, and a quantity of sundries.

Leura (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports: 927 cases fruit, 867 bags potatoes, 20 bags wheat, 827 bags oats, 85 bags bran, 12 bags barley, 48 cases whisky, 10 cases stout, 20 bales gunnies, 28 trunks boots and shoes, 12 bags bark, 30 cases furniture, 4 bags linseed, 2 packages soap, 24 cart-arm boxes, 14 cases drapery, 120 cases jam, 3 packages samples, and a large quantity of sundries and original cargo from Melbourne.

Barrabool (s.), for Melbourne: 105 hides, 49 empty casks, 12 bags oysters, 300 cases pickles, 41 casks asphaltum, 360 cases whisky, 6 cases organs, 8 bags dust, 22 packages old lead, 17 packages china, 12 packages molasses, 50 cases salmon, 6 cases cigars, 402 pigs lead, 207 cases fruit, 38 cases cheese, 7 packages steel, 3 packages drapery, 1 piano, and a quantity of sundries.

Corangamite (s.), for Melbourne: 2400 tons coal, 106 half-cases fruit, 24 packages effects, 3 nests empty crates, 4 packages drapery, 2 standards, 1 joist, 1 case fittings, 36 bales rugs, 2 cases tools, and 25 packages sundries.

Yeoman (s.), for Gladstone: 20 tanks.

Dunnottar Castle, for San Francisco, via Wilmington: 800 tons coal, optional for San Francisco or Wilmington.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: June 5, Simla (s.), 1039 tons, Captain A. S. Calder, for Melbourne; Fiado (s.), 630 tons, Captain D. Doughton, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Leura (s.), 758 tons, Captain J. Pain, for Brisbane; Barrabool (s.), 588 tons, Captain F. H. Stanford, for Melbourne; R.M.S. Alameda, 1939 tons, Captain H. G. Morse, for San Francisco; Birksgate (s.), 916 tons, Captain W. R. Fleetwood, for Melbourne; Wentworth (s.), 610 tons, Captain J. Higgins, for Cooktown, via ports.

The R.M.S. Orient left her moorings in Neutral Bay at 1 p.m. on Saturday for London, via Melbourne and Adelaide, with a large number of passengers and a general cargo. The latter consisted of wool, tin, copper, preserved meats, bark, &c., and there was also on board silver bullion to the value of £4350, and ten boxes of sovereigns, £61,000. There was the usual gathering of boats and steam launches around the Orient just before she started. The vessel cleared the Heads at 1.40 p.m., and yesterday she was reported as having passed Gabo Island at twenty minutes to 8 in the morning. She should reach Melbourne this morning.

The fore-and-aft schooner Julius has had her port of registry transferred from Melbourne to Sydney, having been purchased by Mr. John Graham, of Sydney, from Mr. Louis Greschel, of Melbourne, merchant, for £520. The Julius is a fore-and-aft schooner, 72 6-10 feet long, 17 4-10 feet beam, and 6 4-10 depth of hold, which dimensions give her a registered tonnage of 47 tons. She was built at Sandridge in 1876.

The Norwegian 3-masted schooner Væring is to be berthed at Grafton Wharf to-day.

The steamer Rockton left Levuka at 7 a.m. on the 21st ultimo, and arrived at Suva at noon. After taking in passengers and cargo she proceeded on the voyage to Noumea at 5.30 p.m., passed Mount Washington at 11.30 p.m. same day, entered Havannah Pass at 8.30 a.m. on the 31st, and arrived Noumea at noon. She left Noumea at 6.45 a.m. on the 1st June, cleared Bulari Pass at 8 a.m., entered Sydney Heads at 11.30 a.m. on the 5th June, and anchored in Watson's Bay 11.50 a.m. Experienced moderate S.E. winds with fine weather from Suva to Noumea, thence to Sydney southerly winds with squally weather.

The steamer Richmond crossed the Richmond bar at 10 a.m. on the 4th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 0.45 a.m. on the 6th instant. Experienced strong southerly winds with heavy rainsqualls to Crowdy Head, thence to arrival strong southerly and S.E. winds, with a heavy southerly swell. Cargo: 20 cedar logs, 18 pine logs, 943 bags maize, 52 bags bones, 300 mats sugar, 20 casks treacle, 120 hides, 2 pianos, 6 cases drapery, 35 kegs butter, 12 cases eggs, 3 coops fowls, 8 casks tallow, 30 pigs, 8 horses, 11 calves, 7 bags oysters, a quantity of furniture, and sundries.

The steamer Burwah, from Rockhampton, via Maryborough and Brisbane, left the latter port at 2.30 p.m. on the 4th instant, cleared Cape Moreton at 6.30 p.m. same date, and arrived in Sydney at 9 a.m. on the 6th instant. Experienced strong southerly winds, with rain squalls and heavy head sea, throughout the passage.

The steamer Woodburn crossed the Macleay River bar at 10.45 a.m. on the 5th instant, and arrived at Sydney at 1 p.m on the 6th, having experienced strong southerly winds and squally weather throughout. Cargo—925 bags maize, 66 hides, 6 bags bones, 4 coops fowls, 4 horses, 12 cases eggs, 103 pigs, 50 packages sundries.

The steamer Tenterden left Adelaide at 5 p.m. on the 1st instant, and arrived alongside the company's wharf at 7 p.m. on the 5th. Experienced moderate south to S.W. winds and smooth sea, with dull, cloudy weather and rain to Wilson's Promontory, thence light N.E. winds and fine weather to Gabo Island, thence moderate winds and sea, varying from S.E. to S.W. to port.

The steamer Queen of the South crossed the Richmond bar at 10 a.m. 4th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at noon on the 5th. Experienced fresh southerly winds and head sea, with squally weather to Seal Rocks, and light south-east wind and cloudy weather thence to arrival. Cargo: 981 bags maize, 52 hides, 71 bags bones, 36 kegs butter, 22 bags oysters, 27 calves, 300 bags sugar, 27 pigs, 21 flitches pine, 2 cases eggs, and sundries.

The steamer Platypus crossed the Clarence bar at 8.30 a.m. on the 4th instant, and arrived in Sydney at noon on the 6th, having experienced fresh southerly wind with head sea to Seal Rocks, thence light winds with fine weather to port. Cargo: 90 head fat cattle.

The German three-masted schooner Anna was berthed at Goodlet's Wharf on Saturday.

The American barque Hadyn Brown, which arrived on Saturday from Boston, with a general cargo, has previously voyaged to this port. Captain Havener is still in command, and reports that she began her voyage on February 23, and encountered strong gales from N.W. to W., with high seas for eight days afterwards, in two of which she had to be hove to, but she was not damaged, and afterwards had fine weather and variable winds till the N.E. winds were found on March 24. They were very poor, and gave out in about 2° N., whence the usual light winds and variables were met with. The barque crossed the Equator on the 28th day out on March 23 in 25·30 W., and had S.E. trades from 1° S., light at first, but afterwards fresh to about 28° S., and moderate variable winds thence till April 16. On that day a heavy gale from the westward assailed the vessel, but she passed through it safely. The meridian of the Cape was crossed on April 26 in 41·52 S. latitude, and the easting run down on the mean parallel of about 41° S. Strong and unsteady winds prevailed during the greater part of the time, and on two occasions the wind increased to a heavy gale. Cape Otway was passed on the 28th ultimo, and very light variable winds with rain prevailed from there to the Heads. The Hadyn Brown entered the Heads at half-past 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, and was towed to an anchorage in Neutral Bay. She arrives in beautiful order.

The iron barque Sharpshooter, belonging to Mr. J. C. Ellis, entered the Heads at a quarter to 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, and was towed by the Commodore to an anchorage below Garden Island. Some 16 months have elapsed since the Sharpshooter was last in this port. From here she went to Newcastle, thence to Albany, W.A., and from there to Hongkong. An interval was spent on the coast of China, and then a voyage was made from Hongkong to Eureka, where she obtained her present freight. Captain John Horne reports that she cleared from Humboldt Bay on March 4, and experienced light variable winds till the N.E. trades were picked up in 28° N. The winds in the trade belt were light and variable throughout, being lost in 6° N., whence the usual light airs were met with till the Equator was crossed in 1·43 W. on April 6. Light S.E. and variable winds followed until the coast was made on the 29th, when a heavy southerly gale was encountered, and the vessel had to be hove to for 36 hours, but she was not damaged. After that southerly winds prevailed to the Heads.

Mr. J. C. Ellis's barque Loch Naw, from Hokianga, New Zealand, with a full cargo of sawn kauri, entered the Heads on Saturday morning and was towed by the Young Dick to an anchorage in Pyrmont Bight. The Loch Naw left her port of loading on May 25, and met with N.E. and northerly winds and fine weather until the 30th. Light N.W. to S. W. winds were had from that date till the 5th, when strong southerly winds, with heavy squalls, were encountered, lasting until arrival.

The fine old barque Lady Bowen, which arrived yesterday afternoon, is another of Mr. J. C. Ellis's fleet, and, as usual, is from Puget Sound, with lumber. Captain Rodd reports that the barque cleared Cape Flattery on March 19, and had strong head winds to 30° N., and good trades thence to Tongan Islands. There she fell in with westerly winds, which continued for a week, accompanied with dirty weather. On making the coast on the 29th instant strong head winds set in, with dirty weather, and these lasted to port. The Lady Bowen was towed by the Eagle to an anchorage below Garden Island.

The barque Clifton arrived from Dunedin on Saturday forenoon with a freight of produce, &c., and was berthed at the Grafton Wharf to discharge. Sailing on the 22nd instant the Clifton had a blow from north-west, during which she had to be hove-to for 48 hours, but after fine weather and fair winds were met with to the coast, when the wind came in fresh from the southward, and the weather was squally.

The steamer Eurimbla left Rockhampton on the 1st instant, Maryborough on the 3rd instant, and Brisbane on the 4th instant, cleared Cape Moreton at 7.55 p.m. same day, entered Sydney Heads on 6th instant, at 0.40 p.m., and arrived at the company's wharf at 1 p.m. same day. Experienced fresh southerly and S.E. winds with frequent heavy rains throughout.

The French man-of-war Allier was on Saturday moved from Circular Quay to a berth at Moore's Wharf, where she is to take in a number of horses for Noumea.

The steamer Egmont left Rockhampton on the 30th ultimo at 7.20 a.m., Gladstone at 7.15 p.m. same day, Bundaberg on the 31st at 6.50 p.m., Maryborough on the 1st instant at 2 p.m., Brisbane on the 3rd at 11.15 a.m., passed Smoky Cape on the 4th at 10.30 p.m., entered Sydney Heads on the 5th at 9.30 p.m., and arrived at the wharf at 10 p.m. same date. The Egmont had strong variable S.S.E. wind with heavy S.E. swell to Smoky Cape; thence to Seal Rocks S.S.W. wind, squally, with rain; and from Seal Rocks to arrival south-easterly wind and heavy swell, the weather having a finer appearance.

The steamer City of Grafton crossed the Clarence bar on Saturday, and arrived in Sydney on Sunday at 3 p.m. Cargo: 70 bags maize, 1000 spokes, 125 mats sugar, 11 casks tallow, 17 bags apples, 28 bags and 600 pumpkins, 2 dozen melons, 7 bags bananas, 44 hides, 6 coops fowls, 28 cases eggs, 30 pairs wild fowl, 44 head cattle, 11 calves, 2 pigs, 50 hogsheads rum, 10 casks beer, 16 packages machinery, 1 horse, and sundries.

The steamer Australian cleared Clarence Heads at 10.30 a.m. on the 5th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 3.25 p.m. on the 6th, having experienced strong southerly wind and rain to Seal Rocks, and fresh S.E. winds and dull weather thence to port. Cargo: 1606 bags maize and sundries.

The steamer Allowrie left Eden at 8 a.m., Merimbula at 10 a.m., and Tathra at 2 p.m. on the 5th instant, passed Cape St. George light at 1 a.m., called at Wollongong at 5.30 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 10.15 a.m. on the 6th instant. Experienced light variable winds with showery weather throughout. Cargo: 230 bags bark, 340 cheeses, 1 bale leather, 55 kegs butter, 7 bags bacon, 80 cases maizena, 8 bags oysters, and sundries.

The steamer Fernmount crossed the Bellinger bar at 10 a.m. on the 5th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 7 p.m. on the 6th. Experienced variable winds and rain squall to Cape Hawke, and during the remainder of the passage S.E. winds and fine weather. Cargo: 1042 bags maize, 26 pigs, 5 hides, 2 coops poultry, 6 cases eggs, 3 bags oysters, and 20 packages sundries.

The steamer Tweed crossed the Tweed bar at 9.15 a.m. on the 3rd instant, arrived at Byron Bay at 1 p.m. same date, left again at 6.30 p.m. on the 4th instant, and entered Sydney Heads at 7.45 p.m. on the 6th, having experienced strong southerly wind, heavy rain, and high southerly sea until Seal Rock Point, thence fresh south-easterly wind and moderate sea until arrival. Cargo: 80,000 feet pine, 20,000 feet cedar, 21 bags maize, 14 bags oysters, 41 hides, 3 calfskins, 2 bags bones, 1 bag horns, 1 cask tallow, 3 boxes plants, and sundries.

The steamer Khandalla, of the British-India Company's line, bound from Sydney to Calcutta, left Port Darwin on Friday. She calls at Cambridge Gulf and King Sound.

The T. S. N. Company's steamer Flora, hence to Hobart, arrived at Eden at 1 p.m. on Saturday, and left again at 3 p.m.

The steamer Gabo cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5.30 p.m., on the 4th instant, and entered Port Jackson Heads at 8.30 p.m. on the 6th; having experienced light head winds with S.E. swell and showery weather througout the passage.

The steamer Coraki crossed the Richmond bar on the 4th instant, at 10.30 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads on the 5th, at 6 a.m. Experienced fresh southerly winds, with head sea, throughout the passage. Cargo: 382 bags maize, 25 pine logs, 8 pieces sawn timber, 1600 meat cases, 24 hides, 13 cases eggs, 13 cases fruit, 40 head of cattle, 7 calves, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(From our own correspondents.)

Brisbane.—Arrival: June 6, Elamang (s.), from Port Douglas. Departures: June 5, Afric (s.), for Hongkong, via ports; Glanworth (s.) and Barcoo (s.), for Cooktown. Balmain (s.) and Ranelagh (s.), Sydney for Rockhampton, arrived at Maryborough on Saturday and sailed. Currajong (s.), Rockhampton for Sydney, arrived at Bundaberg yesterday morning. Keilawarra (s.), for Townsville, left Rockhampton on Saturday morning. Katoomba (s.), for Port Douglas, arrived at Townsville on Saturday. Fitzroy (s.) and Warrego (s.) left Cooktown on Saturday morning for Brisbane. Corea (s.) left Cooktown on Saturday morning for Townsville.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: June 5, Sea Wolf, from Fiji; Aurora, from Cleveland Bay; Newcastle (s.), Maitland (s.), Boomerang (s.), Nemesis (s.), Bucephalus (s.), Agnes, Rio, Jessie, from Sydney. Departures: June 5, Taramung (s.), for Melbourne; Waterloo, for San Francisco, with 2181 tons coal; Hoidan, for Honolulu, with 980 tons coal; Victoria Nyanza, for San Francisco, with 1068 tons coal; Western (s.), Tamar (s.), Boomerang (s.), Newcastle (s.), for Sydney.

Melbourne.—Arrived: June 5, Avenger, ship, from London; Franklin (s.), from Adelaide; Rodondo (s.), from Sydney; Lindus (s.), from Newcastle. June 6, Tasmania, R.M.S., from London; Buninyong (s.), from Sydney; Cheviot (s.), from Adelaide. Sailed: June 5, Cintra (s.), Burrumbeet (s.), for Sydney; Victoria (s.), for Adelaide; Norkoowa (s.), Easby (s.), and Beeswing (s.), for Newcastle. June 6, Emu (s.), for Adelaide.

(From board at telegraph office.)

Richmond Heads.—Passed: June 5, a steamer, at 7 a.m.; two schooners at 8 a.m., south. Departure: June 5, Grace Dent, at 9 a.m., for Sydney.

Clarence Heads.—Departure: June 6, Comet (tug), at 7.30 a.m.

Nambucca Heads.—Arrival: June 5, Fanny Dent, at 10 a.m., for Sydney.

Port Macquarie.—Arrival: June 5, Annie Theresa, off bar. Passed: June 5, Coraki (s.), at 7.30 a.m., south; June 6, Helen Nicoll (s.), at 4.50 p.m.; Wentworth (s.), at 10.30 a.m.; Tomki (s.), at 11.30 a.m., north.

Camden Haven.—Departures: June 4, Maggie Taylor, this morning; Georgina Davis, last night.

Cape Hawke.—Arrival: June 5, Favourite, ketch.

Seal Rocks.—Passed: June 5, Coraki (s.), at 5 p.m., a steamer, like Tweed, at 6.30 p.m., with punt in tow, south. June 6, Ann and Mary, at 1 p.m., south; Helen Nicoll (s.), at 9.20 a.m., north.

Port Stephens.—Departure: June 5, Kingsley (s.), at 7 p.m. Passed: June 5, a steamer, at 7 p.m., north. June 6, Helen Nicoll (s.), at 9 a.m., north.

Wollongong.—Departures: June 5, Illawarra (s), for Kiama; Kiama (s.), for Clyde; Dairymaid (s.), for Shellharbour.

Kiama.—Arrival: June 5, Lansdowne, for Moruya.

Terara.—Arrival: June 5, Meeinderry (s.), at 7.15 a.m., from Sydney. Passed: June 5, Illawarra (s.), at 4.30 p.m., south.

Jervis Bay.—Passed: June 5, Kiama (s.), at 9.15 a.m., south; June 6, Gabo (s.), at noon, north.

Ulladulla.—Arrival: June 5, Kiama (s.), at 12.15 p.m., from Wollongong.

Eden.—Arrival: June 5, Flora (s.), at 1 p.m., from Sydney. Departures: June 5, Allowrie (s.), at 8 a.m., for Sydney; Flora (s.), at 3 p.m., for Hobart.

Gabo Island.—Passed: June 5, Buninyong (s.), at 12.50 p.m.; Corinna (s.), at 1.15 p.m.; Dingadee (s.), at 2 p.m., west. June 6, Cintra (s.), at 5.50 p.m., north; R.M.S. Orient, at 7.40 a.m.; Barrabool (s.), at 8.50 a.m.; Birksgate (s.), at 9 a.m.; Corangamite (s.), at 11.50 a.m.; Taramung (s.), at 12.10 a.m., west.

Melbourne.—Arrival: June 5, Rodondo (s.), from Sydney.

Port Darwin.—Departure: June 4, Khandalla (s.), for Calcutta, via Cambridge Gulf and King Sound.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Saturday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market to-day business was quiet. Bank stocks were firm, Joint Stock having advanced fully 5s. per share, with buyers at 14¼. The only reported sales were of Queensland National at 7¾ and £7 14s. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Joint Stock	14¼	—	New S. Wales	55	—
Australasia	—	—	N.Z., Syd. reg.	19½	—
City	—	—	Ditto, N.Z. reg.	19½	—
Commercial	99	100	Q'land. Ntl.	7½	7¾
Federal	—	57/	Union	—	—
Mercantile	5	5½	Rl. Bk. of Q'l'd	—	58/

STEAM.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australasian	9	10½	Newcastle	14/6	16/6
Balmain Ferry	—	19/	New shares, 2s 6d	—	3/6
Ditto, new	—	—	N. Shore Ferry	40/	46/
C. and R. R.	6½	8	Do., 8th call pd	38/6	—
Ditto prefernt.	—	—	Port Jackson	—	66/
Hunter River	—	9½			
Illawarra	7½	—			

INSURANCE.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
General	—	5½	New Zealand	—	—
Austn. Mutual, 2s 6d paid	10/	12/	Pacific	—	—
City Mutual	1/5	1/7	United	55/	58/
Merc. Mutual	3/6	—	Nw.N.S.Wales	—	—

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australian Gas	13¾	—	Perkins	—	—
Ditto 90/ pd.	10¾	10¾	Ditto (new), 15s paid	—	—
C'tlem'e Bry	25/	—	Shale and Oil	—	6/
City Carrying	9/3	10/3	Exchange	—	—
Hudson Bros.	6/	6/3	Vol. Land Ordr	160	168
Mont de Piété	22/	22/6	N.S.W. Trustee	—	10/6
Saywell's	16/6	17/			

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Anglo-A.J.P.L.	28/6	32/6	Mer. B. L. & In.	20/	22/6
Do. new shares	—	—	Ditto, 7s paid	7/3	—
C.B. and In.	63/	67/	Syd. Freehold	19/	21/
Excelsior L., B.I.F. & B.	—	—	Syd. & Provincial Land	—	—
Metrop. B. & I.	5½	6	Syd. and Sub.	—	—

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
N. S. Wales Funded	100	—	Debentures due 1902	—	110

The new shares issued by the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company have been taken up, making the subscribed capital £125,000. The premium on these shares has been placed to the reserve fund, which now amounts to £16,300.

From the "Year Book of Australia" we learn that in Sydney eight building societies proper issued reports during the year 1884-5. The total of the members' subscriptions was £409,926; of the paid-up share capital, £222,545; and of the reserves, £23,000. These societies had deposits to the amount of £648,231, a sum barely equal to the members' capital; and thus, taken as a whole, they had not borrowed more than one-third of what the proposed Act will authorise them to borrow. And from the published table it appears that none of the societies has a measure of deposits so great as the bill before Parliament will permit them to take. During the year these societies advanced £318,347, whilst the total sum lent stood at £1,325,662. They had in excess of their advances £94,208, their aggregate assets being £1,419,870. In addition to these societies there were several newly formed, which at the date of publication of the Year Book had not reported. Besides, there were 15 land and building companies which reported their operations during the year. Their total paid-up capital was £527,631, and they had reserves amounting to £259,588. They held deposits to the extent of £982,623, or about £200,000 in excess of their own funds. They were also liable for land and otherwise to the amount of £532,693. The total assets reached £2,385,405, of which £972,293 was represented by unsold land and freehold property, and the remainder almost entirely by advances. The building societies and land companies together had assets amounting in the aggregate to rather more than £3,800,000. Excepting about £1,000,000, held in the form of land and buildings, these assets consist of advances secured by mortgage, repayable fortnightly or monthly. They include £1,630,000 of deposits.

The utilisation in sugar-making countries of the residual canes—bagasse—for fuel and gas making is an important practical problem which has yet been only partially solved. The great drawback to the profitable combustion or carbonisation of this highly carbonaceous material has been the large proportion of water which it contains, as ordinarily treated by mills, presses, &c. It is stated, however, in the *Revue Industrielle* that M. Pellet has succeeded in devising, to the order of the Fives-Lille Company, a system of dealing with the material which produces, by direct compression, a combustible containing not more than 40 to 50 per cent. of water. In this state the waste can be burnt directly in boiler furnaces, or carbonised without previous drying. The result is obtained by a preliminary division of the pieces of cane in a special apparatus, whereby the after-compression of the material by presses of any convenient kind may be usefully secured. The compressed material is formed into bricks by the addition of powdered fuel, ashes, or lime. It is cited, as a remarkable instance of the utilisation of a waste product reacting upon the original value of the material, that this conversion of waste sugar-cane into a useful fuel will render possible a special treatment of the cane, which will result in simplifying processes, saving labour, and increasing the yield of the raw article.

Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, held an auction sale of butchers' green sheepskins to-day. The demand was, as usual, very brisk, and they report clearing 1545 skins at prices ranging up to 21½d. for good (no really superior being offered), 16½d. for medium, and up to 14d. for inferior and small.

The barque Haydn Brown arrived to-day from Boston, U. S., with a general cargo; and the barque Sharpshooter, from Humboldt Bay, with lumber.

The Orient Company's R.M.S. Orient left to-day for London, with 861 bales wool, 25 bales fur skins, 64 bales sheepskins, 33 bales leather, 110 salted dry hides, 101 casks tallow, 216 cases preserved meats, 93 bags wattle bark, 116 cases pearlshell, 13 bars silver bullion (£4380), 13 boxes sovereigns (£61,000), 1 case platinum (£600), 5022 ingots (171 tons 4cwt.) tin, 11,331 ingots (100 tons) copper, and 125 packages sundries.

The following was the Customs revenue received today:—

Spirits, £1297 16s. 3d.; wine (still), £40 5s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £114 13s. 6d.; tobacco and snuff, £167 14s.; cigars, £126 13s. 6d.; tea, £72 5s. 3d.; coffee, £1; sugar (unrefined), £500; rice, £5 15s. 9d.; specific duty, £156 16s. 2d.; ad valorem, £491 4s. 2d.; harbour and light rates, £9 8s. 8d.; pilotage (Sydney), £33 8s.; harbour dues, £9; excise on tobacco, £500; total, £3526 0s. 3d.

Monday Morning.

The barque Lady Bowen, from Puget Sound, with lumber, arrived to-day.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold on Saturday afternoon, on the ground, 103 lots of the Park View Estate, Alexandria, at prices varying from £4 12s. 6d. to £13 10s. per foot. The Buckland-street frontages realised from £6 to £13 10s.; Garden-street frontages from £7 5s. to £7 10s.; and internal lots from £4 12s. 6d. to £6 17s. 6d. per foot. Total sale, £11,365 16s. 3d.

Messrs. Mills and Pile report the sale of 100 feet frontage to Nelson-street, extending to Edgecliff-road, Woollahra, Cooper leasehold, at £17 per foot, and 154 feet to Edgecliff-road, at £5 per foot: total amount of sale, £2470. Also 2 allotments of land, Hillview Park Estate, Waterloo, at £5 per foot.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold by private contract this day—Block of land at Marrickville, in area 5a. 3r. 2½p., fronting the Marrickville-road, Sydenham-road, Victoria-road, and Meek's-road, £4122 8s. 5d.; also, 100 shares of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, in one line, at £98 each.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman report having sold on the ground at Kogarah, on Saturday, 22 allotments of the Westbourne Park Estate, at prices ranging from 30s. to 35s. per foot. Total amount of sale, £1391 15s. 10d.

STOCK SALE.

Messrs. Griffiths and Weaver report having sold, at Homebush, on account of Cox Brothers, Rawden, 40 fat bullocks at £5 19s 3d; on account of R. Birt, Windurudeen, 40 fat wedders at 13s, 620 at 10s 6d to 10s 9d, and 60 culls at 8s 11d; on account A. Macdonald, Murroo, 193 wedders at 7s 11d to 8s 1d; and at Muswellbrook, by auction, on account E. C. Blomfield, Miriam Vale, 952 store bullocks at an average of £4 3s 6d.—[Advt.]

LAND SALE.

Messrs. T. K. and S. Smith, of 120A, Elizabeth-street, report having sold, on the ground, on Saturday last, on account of the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited (E. J. Bryant, manager), 128 lots of the South Eveleigh estate, at £14 5s per foot and under. The bidding throughout was spirited, and the auctioneers continued selling until darkness compelled them to close the sale. Total amount of sale, £16,447 7s, which, added to the proceeds of the sale on Saturday week, which had to be adjourned on account of the rain, makes a total sold of £30,797 17s.—[Advt.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From our special correspondent.)

London, June 5.

The wool market is slack.

The prospects of the hop crop are good.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

London, June 4.

The quantity of wheat afloat for the United Kingdom is 2,050,000 quarters.

Chilian copper, £39 15s.

Tin: Straits and Australian, £99 15s.

Silver: 3s. 8⅞d.

New Zealand mutton, 5¼d. to 5½d.; Melbourne mutton, 4½d. to 5¼d.

Tallow: Best beef, 26s.; ditto mutton, 28s.

New Zealand wheat: Lowest, 28s.; highest, 33s.

(From our own correspondents.)

Melbourne, Saturday.

Share Report: Sales—Broken Hill Proprietary, £36 6s.; Broken Hill North, 13s. to 13s. 6d.; Long Tunnel Extended, £10; New Kong Meng, 35s. 8d. to 35s. 9d.; Working Miners' United, 15s. to 16s.

Adelaide, Saturday.

Wheat remains unchanged at 5s. afloat, and 5s. 2d. at Port Adelaide for large parcels. Business is slack. The ruling quotations for flour are—Good country, £10 12s. 6d.; leading brands, £11; patent roller, £11 15s.

Share Report.—Sales: Broken Hills, £36 15s. to £38 5s.; Broken Hills North, 13s. 4½d. to 13s. 7d.

THE MAILS

Mails will be made up at the General Post Office for the undermentioned places as follows:—

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TUESDAY.

Brisbane and Northern Ports, by the Eurimba (s.) ... 3 p.m.
Ditto ditto, by the Burwah (s.) ... 5 p.m.
Clarence River, by the City of Grafton (s.) ... 8 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.

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ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION, THIS DAY.

C. MOORE and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Chinaware, Glassware, and Earthenware.
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HARRIS and ACKMAN.—At their Rooms, at 11, Japanese Art Productions; on the Premises, Parramatta-road, Annandale, at 2.30, Timber, Horses, Carts, and Harness.
R. J. HUGHES and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Furniture, &c.
H. HAINS.—On the Premises, 20, Park-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade of tobacconist and hairdresser.
J. I. ASPINALL.—On the Premises, Malcolm-street, Macdonaldtown, at 12, Furniture, Books, &c.
A. MOORE and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Furniture, Pianoforte, Vinegar, &c.
J. G. FLEMING and SONS.—At their Mart, at 11, Furniture, Confectionary, Fruits, &c.
G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.
BROWN BROTHERS and CO.—At their Mart, at 11.30, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown, at 2.30, Horses.
W. INGLIS and CO.—At their Bazaar, at 11, Horses, &c.
T. R. SMITH and T. COSGROVE.—At their Bazaar, at 12, Horses, &c.
DRANSFIELD BROTHERS.—At Homebush, at 11, Sheep.
BRUNKER and WOLFE.—At the H. S. N. Company's Wharf, at 11, Hay.
G. MAIDEN.—At Homebush, at 11, Wethers.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle and Sheep.
HILL, CLARK, and CO.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle and Sheep.
T. SULLIVAN and SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Wethers.
W. INGLIS and SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle and Sheep.
WILKINSON and LAVENDER.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle and Sheep.
S. C. and W. C. CO-OPERATIVE CO.—At their Stores, at 10.30, Butter.
G. WELLS.—At the Hunter River Steam Company's Wharf, at 11, Hay, Maize.
H. M'NAMARA.—At Meat Market, at 12, Beef and Mutton.
W. GARLING.—At his Bazaar, at 2, Horses.
TURNER BROTHERS.—At their Stores, at 2, Fruits.
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The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1886.

The extraordinary statement made by the Attorney-General in connection with the case of Edward Brown Holt will require the serious attention of the House. That there has been a manifest failure of justice in that case it is no longer possible to deny; but the question of responsibility appears to be divided between defects in the law and defects in its administration. According to Mr. Want, the responsibility would seem to lie wholly with the former. The administration of justice, he tells us, is not only free from blame, but has been conducted with a degree of vigilant forethought beyond all praise. If his representation of the matter is to be accepted as correct, it is obviously necessary to make such amendments in the law as will suffice to prevent the repetition of a similar scandal. If, on the other hand, it should appear that the law as it stands requires no amendment to meet such cases, it follows that the administration of the Crown Law Department is at fault, and some provision should be made for the purpose of placing it in a state of efficiency. The dilemma is clear enough; but it is one that will require some serious consideration, and it is to be hoped that the House will address itself to the subject with a full consciousness of the interests at stake.

Fortunately for society, it so happens that cases of this description are usually free from complication, both as to the facts and the law, and there is, consequently, little difficulty in arriving at sound conclusions with respect to them. It may be safely said, indeed, that in the cases which come before our criminal Courts there are none in which so little difficulty exists as in those of frauds by Bank officials. The very methods on which banking business is conducted are so well adapted to the detection and proof of fraud, that they might almost be described as a self-acting machinery invented and perfected for the purpose. The fact is so well known among bank officials that whenever a fraud of the kind is brought to light, it is almost invariably followed by the flight or confession of the guilty person. Holt's case is only one of many illustrations that might be given. His 25 years' experience in the two banks with which he had been connected forced him to two conclusions—in the first instance, flight; and in the second, confession. Seeing no loophole of escape, he fled from the colony; and finding escape hopeless, he resorted to an unqualified admission of the offences charged against him. But notwithstanding these conclusive and voluntary proofs of his guilt,—not on one particular charge but on all the charges together,—it appears on the authority of the Attorney-General that the three indictments filed against him were surrounded by so much doubt and difficulty as to render a conviction almost impossible; and that the Crown was consequently driven to the necessity of arranging with the prisoner for a plea of guilty on a nominal charge of larceny, in order to prevent his escape on each of the substantial charges preferred against him. The very case in which this plea of guilty was recorded—the misappropriation of a cheque for £4000—was so hopeless that if it had gone before a jury, said the Attorney-General, "I have no hesitation in saying he would have been acquitted. It is almost a certainty that he would have been legally acquitted of a crime of which he was morally guilty." Such a statement as this can only be explained, as we have said, either by a defect in the law or a defect in its administration.

It is not possible to gather from Mr. Want's statement of the facts in this case that the difficulty of substantiating the charge referred to is attributable to any defect in the law. "I found out that in law Holt was a partner in this concern, and could hold the money until it was asked for. It has never been asked for to this day, and therefore it became a case in which one partner handed a cheque to another partner to be held on account of both until asked for." That being so, why was not the prisoner indicted as a partner? There is an express provision in the Criminal Law Amendment Act for cases of larceny or embezzlement by partners (s. 124); and if Holt was a partner, as stated, clearly he should have been indicted under that section. There could be no difficulty in dealing with the objection that "the money had never been asked for," because the prisoner's flight from the colony rendered it impossible to ask for it; while the fact that he "took the cheque and paid it to his own credit" was at least *prima facie* evidence of the misappropriation. Whether the evidence was absolutely conclusive or not, there was at least sufficient to go to the jury; and although Mr. Want asserts his belief that the prisoner "would have had the sympathy of the jury," we venture to think that any jury before which the case might have been tried would have made very short work of such an objection. Unless we are to believe that the presiding Judge in such a case would feel bound to direct the jury to acquit on the ground that "the money had never been asked for," it is simply absurd to suppose that the prisoner could have escaped conviction. In the ordinary practice of the Courts, points of this description when raised by prisoners' counsel are generally reserved for the consideration of the Full Court; but in the present instance the prisoner's counsel was spared the trouble of even raising the point—the Attorney-General undertaking to decide it beforehand in the prisoner's favour.

The two other cases, which were abandoned by the Attorney-General, seem to be free even from the objection that "the money had never been asked for." In one, the prisoner was charged with making false entries in the Bank's ledgers; in the other, with fraudulently obtaining a cheque for £1500 from the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company. Mr. Want stated the facts in each of these cases, but did not specify any technical difficulties in the evidence, contenting himself with this assertion:—"I can refer to any man of legal training to confirm my statement that if Holt had been put upon his trial on either or both of those charges, with the very grave doubts surrounding them, the chances are ten to one that he would have been acquitted of one or both of those charges." But where are the "very grave doubts" referred to? They are not even mentioned. In the first place, the prisoner instructed the ledgerkeeper to make certain false entries in Mr. Chisholm's account, by which the Bank was defrauded of £3250—an offence specially provided for in the Criminal Law Amendment Act (s. 140); and in the second, he obtained a cheque for £1500 from the accountant of the company of which he was manager, telling him to "debit it to M'Kenzie's account," the money being afterwards applied to his own purposes. Accepting the Attorney-General's view of the case, it would seem that there is nothing to prevent a banker from falsifying his customers' accounts, and nothing to prevent the manager of a company from embezzling its funds; although these are precisely the cases which are usually found to be most susceptible of proof.

But the questions to be determined in this matter do not depend on technical considerations; they are questions of principle, as affecting the administration of justice, and cannot be governed by mere quibbles. The Attorney-General carefully avoided any reference to the real objections urged against his action in abandoning two out of the three indictments, as well as the substantial count in the one indictment that was tried. That he had the power to do so, if he felt justified in doing it, is not denied; but it is contended that under the peculiar circumstances of this case he did not exercise a wise discretion in acting as he did, the result being that the interests of justice have been sacrificed. Making every allowance for the grave doubts which he professes to have felt as to the chances of obtaining a conviction on each indictment, it was certainly strange that he should have adopted a course of proceeding which really amounted to abandoning the prosecution. The arguments he has urged in justification of his conduct do not even touch the question at issue. He referred to the fact that Mr. Justice FAUCETT reduced the sentence from five years to four as a proof that his HONOR coincided with him in his view of the case. But that is clearly an assumption; while he omitted to mention that the learned JUDGE, in addressing the prisoner, pointed out that the larceny of which he had been convicted was "the nominal offence," the misappropriation being the "real one;" thus showing how clearly the Court appreciated the position in which it had been placed. It was a fitting conclusion to such a speech as that made by Mr. WANT in the House that he should boldly stand forward as an apologist for the prisoner, and, after dilating on his good conduct in allowing himself to be arrested and assisting in the realisation of his estate, coolly assert that "to a man like HOLT, four years in gaol is as much punishment as ten years to a cattle-stealer who had been in gaol half his life." If these are the principles on which the criminal law is to be administered, the House will not be justified in lending them any countenance, so long as they are flatly repugnant to the law of the land as well as the most rudimentary sense of justice.

Are we to have a Centennial Exhibition? A decisive answer to this question should be promptly given. The matter is one for Parliament to deal with, and it should so express itself as to leave no uncertainty in the public mind in regard to its views, for the circumstances do not admit of delay. In about eighteen months we shall have entered upon our centenary year. The interval is barely sufficient for making preparations for such a celebration of the event as would be worthy of us. A short time back the subject was discussed in the Assembly, but the result was unsatisfactory. The feeling was unanimous that something should be done to mark the important event in our history; but the action of the House practically terminated with the expression of the feeling. Sir HENRY PARKES suggested that the commemorative proceedings should include the delivery of an oration, and he left the impression that the oration ought to be the principal feature in the programme. The Government would not take upon themselves the responsibility of recommending the holding of an Exhibition. Finally, the House consented to leave the subject in their hands, upon their giving an assurance that they would make arrangements for marking with sufficient emphasis the occurrence of the centenary year. The real effect of its action was to discourage the holding of a centennial ceremony, or to have one that would be disproportionate to the event. Leaving the matter in the hands of the Government was about the unwisest course that the House could have taken.

Admitting that there should be a centennial celebration, the opinion will be that the celebration should be an impressive one. The hundredth year in the life of a community is similar to the twenty-first year in the life of an individual. If a man were to celebrate the attainment of his majority by a puerile exhibition, the verdict of the onlookers would be that, although he had come to man's estate, he was not fit to be entrusted with a man's responsibilities, or to be treated as an adult. And a similiar opinion would be expressed concerning Australia if we resorted to a cheap or trumpery method of marking our centenary year. There is reason to fear that it will be a scheme of this nature that the Government will select if it should devolve upon them to make the arrangements. They are opposed to the holding of an Exhibition on the ground of expense. They may therefore devise something that will be cheap as compared with an international show. The centennial celebration should have two great objects—the stimulation of our own enterprise, and the attraction to the country of wealth and population. The only thing that could accomplish these objects at the same time would be a grand Exhibition of the natural and artificial products of the whole Continent. Half-a-dozen countries have made the experiment, and it has succeeded. Complaints were made in certain quarters of the cost of the first International Exhibition held in this colony; but it could easily be shown that that was one of the most profitable enterprises in which the colony has engaged. It was the means of introducing a large amount of capital which but for it would not have been brought here; it caused a number of British and Continental firms to establish branches of their business in various parts of Australia; and it had a marked effect upon the energy of our own people. As the public are aware, the movement which has resulted in the transformation of the commercial portion of the city of Sydney received fresh vitality after the Exhibition year; and it is fair to assume that the Exhibition was an important agency in producing this result. It will be admitted that the Exhibition thoroughly roused the people, disturbed their self-complacency, knocked over some of their prejudices, and widened their views on a variety of subjects. If it had done no more than this, the State would have been amply repaid for all its trouble and expense. We have no doubt long ere this the country has been recouped, indirectly of course, every penny that it spent in connection with the affair. If further argument were needed in support of these great expositions of products, we have it in the statements published a day or two ago of the effect produced by the Colonial and Indian Exhibition now open in London. It is asserted that the display has brought Australia into remarkable prominence, and given impressions of the country that will probably result in a great increase of prosperity. It may be pointed out that if we are negligent in this matter, Victoria may decide to hold an Exhibition in the centennial year. There is no reason why she should not. It is not necessary that the anniversary of the hundredth year of European settlement in Australia should take place on the particular part of the Continent where the first settlement was formed. It would not have been inappropriate if the American people had celebrated the centenary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence in New York or Washington, instead of in Philadelphia. The people of Melbourne might be glad of the opportunity of celebrating the centenary of Australian civilisation. And it may be expected that the Victorians will eagerly embrace the opportunity to hold the Exhibition if we should decide that it is inexpedient for us to undertake such a responsibility. They have a building ready to hand, and would have no difficulty in getting up the inspiration.

It is nonsense to say, as has been said by one or two members of the Government, that we cannot afford the money that it would cost to hold an Exhibition. We might not be able to afford it if we had good reason for believing that we should not either directly or indirectly recoup ourselves any portion of the outlay; but there is no reason for supposing any such thing; on the contrary, the State would probably reap very great advantage therefrom. The principal part of the expenditure would be for buildings, but these could be utilised for public purposes after the Exhibition had closed; the money laid out on them would, therefore, not be wasted even if the Exhibition did not attract population or give an impetus to commercial operations. Mr. REID has given notice in the Assembly that he will move a resolution to the effect that the centenary shall be celebrated by an Exhibition of Australian products. The resolution should be carried by a large majority, and before long the COLONIAL ARCHITECT should receive instructions to prepare plans for the Exhibition buildings.

A remarkable illustration of the manner in which European complications are taking place in the South Seas will be found in a communication which we publish this morning from our Noumea correspondent. It was rumoured in that city on the 28th of last month that the Dives, one of the men-of-war on the station, was about to sail for the New Hebrides, in order to take possession of those islands with a strong military force. This rumour appears to have originated in the facts that large orders had been suddenly given by the Government for timber, galvanised iron, and stores of all kinds, to be shipped on board the Dives, and that the Government had shortly afterwards prohibited the departure of any vessel from the port—even a small ketch being refused permission to clear until after the sailing of the Dives on Sunday last. It is also stated that the Magellan, a large auxiliary transport, was to follow on Tuesday with a further detachment of artillery and infantry, as well as supplies of building material, sheep, and cattle. The intention of the Government, it is said, is to place detachments of 30 to 40 men on each of the principal islands of the New Hebrides group. In connection with this matter, it deserves to be mentioned that the German man-of-war Albatross has lately proceeded to the island of Mallicolo, one of the New Hebrides group, for the purpose of punishing the natives for the murder of two men in the employment of a German company. The presence of a German man-of-war at the islands at this particular juncture serves to recall the Treaty recently made between France and Germany, by which the latter Power agreed, in return for certain concessions, to consent to the annexation of the New Hebrides by France. It cannot, of course, be assumed at the present stage that the French Government has deliberately determined to carry out the long-threatened annexation of the New Hebrides without any notice of its intention to the British Government, although it cannot be forgotten that the German seizure of the northern coast of New Guinea was made without the sanction of the British Government being obtained in the first instance. Should the course adopted by the German Government in that instance be followed by the French in respect to the New Hebrides, it will undoubtedly be regarded as "an unfriendly act" by the Imperial Government, as well as an unqualified snub to the Australian colonies.

The settlement which has taken place on the railway line between St. Peter's and George's River affords striking evidence of the value of rapid and easy communication in the development of new suburbs. At certain points on the route the progress has been phenomenal, and would probably have been still more marked had the line been taken direct to George's River instead of being diverted in a south-westerly direction from Kogarah. The deviation has left a large portion of the West Botany district at a disadvantage, but for this it has been suggested that compensating provision should be made by tramway. The people of the locality left out in the cold, however, are by no means lethargic. They are urging the construction of a platform at a place called Carlton, a short distance from the Woniora-road, and they go so far as to offer land and money, in addition to guaranteeing a certain amount of traffic, if the MINISTER will comply with their request. This new feature in connection with railway and tramway construction cannot be always commended. The Government ought not to regulate the course of its steam communication and the position of its passenger stations in accordance with the interest of land syndicates. These important matters should be determined in view of the public good, and not virtually submitted to competition, which may promise an apparent present profit, but really result in a permanent public loss. The MINISTER, however, cannot do wrong in making a station or a platform at Carlton, because it would be a feeder to the Illawarra railway. It would suit the convenience of a number of people, and in the near future be the centre of a very considerable population. But beyond this it would be productive of an immediate gain, because it would take a large amount of traffic from off the main thoroughfare, which is a Government road in a bad state of repair. People who now use it without any payment at all would—if the platform were established—travel on the railway and help to swell the revenue. If a platform were established at Webber's-road, the proposed tramway to Sans Souci might perhaps run from thence instead of starting from Kogarah; but from whatever point it commences, it ought to be taken near to Scarborough Park and the adjacent marine reserve.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE provisional committee of the Ly-ee-Moon Relief Fund have been very busy with the preliminaries for the public meeting to be held in the Town Hall this evening. The Mayor is to preside, and among the speakers will be his Excellency the Governor, the Primate, Mr. W. B. Dalley, Q.C., Mr. E. Barton (Speaker of the Legislative Assembly), Captain Trouton, Rev. C. G. Byng, of Melbourne, and others. The Marine Engineers, Seamen's Union, and Cooks' and Stewards' Union have postponed their meetings to-night, in order that their members may attend at the meeting. Mr. Cottier has offered to give a special concert in aid of the fund, and the offer has been accepted.

AT most of the city and suburban churches yesterday, special sermons were preached in reference to the wreck of the Ly-ee-Moon They will be found in a condensed form in another part of this issue.

IT was announced in St. Patrick's Church yesterday, that a solemn requiem mass would be celebrated at 7 o'clock on Wednesday morning next for the repose of the souls of those who were drowned in the ill-fated steamer Ly-ee-Moon. As the requiem mass is at an early hour, it was earnestly hoped that a great number of persons would be present, and a special appeal, in very feeling terms, was made to the seafaring workmen, who are daily exposed to similar dangers, to attend, and thus show their respect to the memory of their departed comrades. Four of those who were employed on the vessel, and who are amongst the drowned, were parishioners of St. Patrick's Church.

THE bill to amend the Commons Regulation Act of 1873, which was introduced by the Minister for Mines on the 3rd instant, contains six clauses. The first of these is of an introductory character only. Clause 2 provides for the fixing and altering of Commoners boundaries; clause 3, that where an election fails the Governor may appoint trustees; and clause 4 explains the occasions when municipal councils may be made trustees of commons. By clause 5 trustees may in certain circumstances be disqualified, and clause 6 has reference to the validation of appointments or elections of trustees.

A RETURN in connection with the Fisheries Commission, which was moved for by Mr. William Clarke, M.L.A., has just been printed, and contains particulars of the revenue and expenditure of the Commission and the officers employed by them. The revenue and expenditure are stated to be as follows:—1881: Revenue, £1554 8s. 6d.; expenditure, £1488 7s. 5d. 1882: Revenue, £2651 2s.; expenditure, £3030 12s. 1883: Revenue, £2943 2s. 10d.; expenditure, £3774 1s. 1d. 1884: Revenue, £5865 7s. 9d.; expenditure, £5216 12s. 7d. 1885: Revenue, £4988 4s.; expenditure, £5460 13s. 4d. Total revenue, £18,002 5s. 1d.; total expenditure, £18,970 6s. 5d. The number of officers employed is 40. Thirteen commissioners have been appointed since the passing of the Fisheries Act, and eight have resigned. The number of meetings called was 180, of which 113 lapsed for want of quorums. It is explained, however, that although no quorum was formed on so many occasions, the business of the office was transacted weekly by commissioners present, and that this procedure was advised to be adopted by the Colonial Secretary, Sir Alexander Stuart, and is continued to the present day.

ON Saturday morning the weather throughout the colony was reported to be unsettled, with light S. to S.E. winds, very high barometers, and smooth sea. In the city the weather was cloudy on Saturday and yesterday, and light showers fell in the afternoon and evening. The wind was light yesterday, and the temperature mild.

A CORRESPONDENT informs us that news reached Noumea, just before the departure of the steamship Rockton, that the German man-of-war Albatross, which some time ago gave a severe lesson to the natives in the Bismarck Archipelago, and which left that port again on May 3, has now severely punished the natives of Malicolo, in the New Hebrides, for the murder of two traders—one a German named Klein, and the other an Englishman, James Cullen,—both in the employment of the German Company, about 18 months ago. A good many natives were killed, but fuller particulars are not to hand yet. When the schooner which brought the news parted company with the Albatross, the latter was going to Pentecost Island, also in the New Hebrides, for a similar purpose.

BY the R.M.S. Orient, which left on Saturday for London, via ports, £61,000 in sovereigns were shipped for London, viz., £50,000 by the Bank of New Zealand and £11,000 by Mr. G. S. Yuill, manager of the Orient Company.

THE Church of England Temperance Society's annual Sermon Sunday was yesterday observed in about 35 churches in the metropolitan see of Sydney. In several of the city churches appropriate subjects were selected, and the need of greater activity and combination against drunkenness and its concomitant evils insisted on. Reference was made to the annual Cathedral service to be held in St. Andrew's on Tuesday at 7.30 p.m., and the annual public meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association's hall, on Thursday, the 10th instant, at which the Primate will preside, as is advertised.

ON Saturday evening Mr. John Pentecost delivered a lecture at the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts on the subject of the Kimberley district of north-western Australia. There was a large and interested audience. The lecturer was one of a party which left Cambridge Gulf towards the end of 1882 in search of pastoral country, and passed through the Kimberley district where the present gold discoveries are, then striking across to Port Derby. Travelling from the Gulf in the earlier stages was very rough, the country being exceedingly broken, so that on the first day the stage was only five or six miles, and the next day six or eight miles. At the end of the second day they reached a splendid lagoon with abundance of game and fish; but there were also natives, in order to avoid whom the party camped some distance farther on. That route was a favourable one for prospecting, from the indications of the country. Whilst it was the shortest route to the goldfields, that from Derby was the least trying for horses, for which the country furnished good supplies of fodder. His trip was made about August, and inland the heat was very great, both night and day, being so intense during the nights that a person could brush the perspiration off with his hand. The trip was made before the gold discoveries, but the geological formation of the country was indicative of the presence of gold.

A FAIRLY well attended meeting was held at the Jubilee Schoolroom, Parramatta, on Friday evening, for the purpose of opening the Wesleyan Literary Institute, which, after being dormant for some time, has recently been reconstructed. The Rev. C. Olden, president, occupied the chair. After the preliminary business had been disposed of, several readings and recitations were given, which were followed by interesting addresses on the life and writings of Sir Walter Scott, the speakers being the Rev. C. Olden and Messrs. E. A. Jones and Hunter Stephenson.

THE Young Workmen's Club, formerly the Newsboys' Brigade, which meets in a building opposite the New Masonic Hall in Castlereagh-street, is an institution which is in a quiet way doing good work in our midst, its object being to provide instruction and recreation for lads after their day's work; and efforts are being made to encourage the members to carry on the internal working of the institution without external aid. An entertainment in connection with this movement was given on Wednesday by the members, before a number of visitors. The early portion of the evening was spent in the gymnasium, after which an adjournment was made to the hall, where a programme of songs and recitations was creditably gone through. It is to be hoped that this will not be the last of such entertainments, but that encouragement will be given by the supporters of the club and the public generally to the members in their endeavours to provide themselves an evening's healthy amusement.

THE foundation-stone of a manse which is being erected for the pastor of the Pyrmont Congregational Church, on land adjoining the church in Allen-street, Pyrmont, was laid on Saturday afternoon by Mr. E. K. Satchell. Amongst those present at the ceremony were the Revs. James Buchan, M.A., pastor of the church, James Hill, M.A., George Campbell, T. S. Forsaith, and J. F. Cullen, and Messrs. J. Mullens, E. T. Penfold, and Robert Thompson. The contract price for the erection of the building is £755. The trowel (which was of hall-marked silver, and bore a suitable inscription) and mallet with which the stone was laid were presented to Mr. Satchell, on behalf of the building committee, by Mr. S. Fursey. After the laying of the stone, an adjournment was made to the church, and refreshments were partaken of. Subsequently a meeting was held, and this and the proceedings in connection with the laying of the stone resulted in a sum of £88 17s. 9d. being contributed towards the cost of the building.

ON Saturday afternoon the new sabbath school and lecture hall of the Balmain Presbyterian Church was formally opened, in the presence of a large gathering of the clergy and laity. The building is from plans by Mr. J. B. Spencer, of Sydney, and when thoroughly completed will have cost about £1540. Several addresses were delivered, and a sum of £73 2s. 10d. was collected in the room.

THE St. Joseph's Providence Bazaar, in aid of respectable aged and infirm women and poor destitute children, now being held in the New Masonic Hall, was well patronised on Saturday, giving a most cheerful liveliness to the labours of the kind ladies who are nobly doing the practical work of assisting this excellent charity. The band of the Second Regiment, through the kindness of Colonel Goodlet and the officers, performed several fine selections during the afternoon, and some of the members gave a chorus song on the stage, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Macmahon, the bandmaster. In the evening the hall was well filled, and Madame Morr delighted the audience by singing "Waiting," by Millard, and for an encore gave "Sing on, Bird!" by Plumpton.

ON Saturday afternoon a complimentary luncheon was given at Cremorne by the members of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club to Commodore Milford. There were between 50 and 60 persons present, among the number being Admiral Tryon. A report will be found in another column.

THE Art Union of Sydney is an institution based upon the same principle as that followed by the London Art Union, and has established an office in George-street, opposite Hunter-street, where the prizes, 360 in number, are on exhibition. These prizes range in value from £100 to less than £2, and consist of a wide variety of articles, many of them quaint and interesting. Each subscriber will be presented with an engraving, besides having a chance in the distribution of the 360 prizes.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to complain of the smoking on the lawn in front of the grand stand at the bicycle sports on Saturday, and also of the presence of book-makers—two nuisances which he thinks ought not to be permitted.

IN reference to the sad fatality at Petersham reported in our issue of Saturday, we are informed that the girl who was burnt was 14 years of age, and that her brother, who was with her at the time of the accident, was 12; that the mother of the children was in Melbourne at the time, and that the father, P. Miller, J.P., who had an hour's engagement a short distance from his home, returned a few minutes after his child caught fire. The girl was sitting near the fire sewing, and the fire, which at first smouldered unsuspected, enveloped her in flames a few moments after it was discovered. Doctors were almost immediately in attendance, and remained in the house about four hours after the accident took place.

A STABBING affray occurred on board the barque Lady Bowen, which arrived yesterday from Burrard's Inlet, and fatal consequences were only averted by the merest chance. It appears that the cook of the vessel, a coloured man, named François Lapropre, has been apparently suffering from religious mania, and at times during the voyage he used threats against several members of the crew, particularly against the steward, John Ploen, who had dealings with him several times a day in the performance of his duties. On two occasions a dispute arose between the two with regard to the quantity of water which the cook should have; and on the steward refusing to allow him to have an additional bucket Lapropre picked up a murderous-looking butcher's knife, measuring about two feet in length by two inches in breadth, and rushed at the steward with it, and attempted to plunge it into him. Ploen avoided the thrust, and put up his left hand to shield himself from a second chopping blow Lapropre made at him, when the knife descended upon it and nearly cut it in two. Ploen then rushed into the cabin and so escaped further injury, and Lapropre retired into the galley, where he soon became calmer. Captain Rodd then sent an order to him to bring the teapot into the cabin, and on his doing so he was secured and ironed, and kept shut up during the remainder of the voyage. On the arrival of the vessel in port yesterday the police flag was hoisted, and the water police were soon alongside in their launch, into which Lapropre was transferred and taken to the Circular Quay, and thence to the Water Police Station. He will to-day be brought up on a charge of stabbing Ploen. Some eighteen months ago the same man was arrested for stabbing the second mate of the barque Jessie Renwick.

AN elderly man named William Young Edwards was on Saturday morning knocked down by a runaway horse attached to a spring-cart in George-street West. His head struck a verandah post, rendering him unconscious. He was taken to the hospital, but died before admission. The body was removed to the South Sydney morgue, where an inquest will be held at 9 o'clock this morning.

AT about midnight on Friday Thomas Lynch, a fireman, fell from the forecastle head of the steamship Kent, lying at the Circular Quay, and sustained injuries which necessitated his admission to the Sydney Hospital. He was there found to be suffering from lacerated and contused wounds on the knees, forehead, and nose. Lynch was under the influence of liquor at the time of the occurrence, and was unconscious when taken to the hospital.

ON Saturday night a painter, named James Court, aged 32, was admitted to the Sydney Hospital suffering from a fracture of the right thigh, caused by his being knocked down by a cab at the corner of King and George streets, while he was in an intoxicated condition.

THE *Fiji Times* of May 8 thus refers to the correspondence between the Governments of New Zealand and Fiji on the subject of the proposed reciprocal commercial treaty between the colonies:—"The papers came to hand yesterday, and their perusal is singularly provocative of a broad smile at the charming modesty of the New Zealand proposals. Apparently the meaning of the word 'reciprocal' changes according to locality; and in Wellington it must mean 'pounds for me, and pence for you.' Shortly, the New Zealand proposition is that Fiji shall admit twenty nine articles from that colony free, and twenty at half current rates of duty, and shall impose on those articles coming from other colonies rates in many cases largely in excess of those now charged. In return New Zealand will admit eight articles of Fijian production free, and 16 at half current rates. His Honor the Administrator dealt with the matter very properly and very judiciously, as will be seen from the following excerpt from his reply to the letter accrediting the delegates:—'I regret to add that my Government does not find the proposals submitted by Messrs. Moss and Seed acceptable; but, with the object of promoting commerce between the two colonies, it is ready to make a counter proposal, and to send to New Zealand a member of the Government to discuss the project with your Excellency's Ministers.'"

AFTER speaking favourably of the Australian Eleven now in England, the *Daily News* asks:—"Who are there in England to 'speak in the gate' (or the wicket, the words mean literally much the same thing) to these friendly opponents? The prospect is not very brilliant. Life and the affairs of business and duty soon absorb our young amateurs. We shall not see much of Mr. Alfred Lyttelton at the wickets, and he cannot be expected to repeat that miraculous success when, taking off the gloves, he lowered the impregnable Australian wickets with slows at the Oval. Had it not been for these strange slows, the Australians might be at the wickets still for anything our bowlers could do against them. In bowling, to tell the truth, we are never very strong at present. Mr. Steel is always best on a damp wicket, and even if the wickets chance to suit him (*absit omen* as far as the damp goes), it seems unlikely that he will be as often found in the field and at the wicket as usual this summer. We have, indeed, the perennial W. G., that truly grand though aged cricketer. No man who saw Mr. Grace's innings for 220, not out, at Clifton, last summer, will think his natural force abated, though he must be nearly forty. If he gets "fixed," and his eye well in, then even Mr. Spofforth and Mr. Evans will have their work measured out for them. Among amateurs, Mr. Rashleigh, late of Tonbridge School, may be expected to do mighty deeds, if he can spare time from his University studies, and if he retains his school-boy skill. Then among tried men we have Mr. W. W. Read, and Mr. Webbe, and Mr. Hornby, and Peate to bowl, and Ulyett to do all that mortal can in every department; and Maurice Read, and Briggs, and the patient defence of Hall, and Mr. Christopherson to break the stumps asunder when his ball encounters these frail fortresses. But we do need several fast bowlers badly, and when we say 'bowlers' we do not mean 'chuckers' or 'throwers.' It is time, to speak in the vernacular, that the chuckers were chucked. The Australians are especially, and justly, severe on men who aid their art by the illegal use of wrist and elbow. Nothing can be more destructive to good cricket, nothing more damaging to good-fellowship and fair-play, and nothing more dangerous to the human ribs and knuckles than the toleration of throwing. Suppose Mr. Bonner chose to throw, instead of bowling! Why, man born of woman could live before him; the pitch would be strewn with the dead and dying. Let us, above all things, bowl fair. 'Bowl fair, whatever you do,' we may say, in a modification of the words of the immortal friend and partner of Betsey Prig."

REFERRING to the honours recently conferred on Australian public men, the Melbourne *Argus* observes:—"Most of the Presidents and the Speakers of the various Parliaments of Australia have now received the honour of knighthood. Some of the titles have been recently bestowed upon officers who are junior to the Speaker of the Victorian Assembly. We are able to state, however, that the claims of Mr. Lalor have not been overlooked. Two years ago the hon. gentleman received an official intimation of the willingness of the Crown to confer a knighthood, but Mr. Lalor felt it better to respectfully decline."

FROM a private letter per Garonne the *Church of England Record* learns that the Dean of Sydney and party reached London safely on April 1 after a fairly prosperous voyage. The health of Mrs. Cowper had improved to only a small extent. The Dean speaks of the deep impression made on his mind by the kindness of his friends manifested at the meeting at the Church Society's House to bid him farewell.

THE following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral this afternoon:—Magnificat, Stainer in A; Nunc Dimittis, Stainer in A; anthem, Goss's "O, Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem."

THE following is the report of the Prince Alfred Hospital for the week ending June 5, 1886:—Number of in-patients at last report, 90 males, 55 females; since admitted, 19 males, 13 females; discharged, 15 males, 16 females; died, 2 males; remaining in hospital on June 5, 1886, 92 males, 52 females. Number of out-patients treated during the week, 319; number of casualty cases treated but not admitted, 60—total, 379.

THE NEW HEBRIDES.

RUMOURED ANNEXATION BY THE FRENCH.

(FROM OUR NOUMEA CORRESPONDENT.)

NOUMEA, MAY 31.

On Friday last, soon after the departure of the M.M.S. Sydney, for Sydney, a rumour was current in town that the Dives, one of the men-of-war attached to this station, would sail immediately to the New Hebrides in order to take possession of the same. On Saturday, large orders had been given to different firms for timber, galvanised iron, and stores of all kinds, and the unusual activity displayed at the Government stores—the employees working up to a late hour at night—showed that the Dives' voyage would be something out of the common. Business otherwise in town was almost suspended, and knots of people were gathered at every corner discussing the situation, and evidently no information was to be obtained from Government sources, as on the publication of the *Independent* at 10 o'clock the rumour was flatly contradicted, this journal imputing the action of the Government in arming the Dives to the present almost unprotected state of their station, the Duchaffaut having gone to Brisbane for the new Governor, the Allier undergoing repairs in Sydney, and the small gunboat Loyalty being required along the coast. Subsequent events, however, show that there were good grounds for the rumour. Instructions had been issued to the Captain of the Port not to clear any vessels. The captain of a small ketch was refused permission to clear before Sunday. At 5 p.m. on Saturday, a body of 75 infantry, commanded by a captain and lieutenant, were conveyed on board the Dives in the Government steam launches. The hour of their embarking not being known, only a small number of the townspeople witnessed their departure, and before 6 a.m. on Sunday the Dives had cleared the pass, and was shaping a course for the Woodu's Canal, apparently *en route* for the New Hebrides. The Magellan, the large auxiliary transport, which arrived on the 7th of last month from France with a batch of convicts, will follow on Tuesday, the 1st, with a further detachment of artillery and infantry, two captains, two lieutenants, and three doctors. The shipment of building material, sheep, and cattle is now being rapidly proceeded with, and by all appearances the Magellan will be ready to leave early in the day. From good authority we learn that the intention of the Government is to place detachments of from 30 to 40 men on each of the principal islands, particularly those on which the natives have of late been so troublesome. By the Louisa Charlton, belonging to Mr. H. Walker, of Noumea, which arrived from those islands, we learn that the German warship Albatross was at Havannah Harbour, Port Sandwich; also H.M.S. Undine. The Raven had left that port in continuation of her cruise to the other islands.

The Louisa Charlton reports that fever is raging on most of the islands, and no less than eight deaths of white traders from the malady. Several passengers arrived by her suffering from fever, and judging from their appearance, they have had a bad time of it. She also reports the death by poisoning of a man employed in copra-getting at Ambrym. It appears natives gave him strychnine mixed with his food. The poor fellow died in terrible agony. The natives of another island gave one of the crew (a *Loyalty Island boy*) a piece of cooked yam to eat. He died soon after having partaken of it.

The Cagou, a steamer of about 100 tons, leaves for the New Hebrides. She is to run monthly, and is being subsidised by the Government.

MR. H. O. FORBES'S EXPERIENCES IN NEW GUINEA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

COOKTOWN, SATURDAY.

Mr. H. O. Forbes, the explorer, has delivered a lecture here upon his exploring experiences in New Guinea. He gave a sketch of his plan of operations during the wet season. He had collected over 1000 specimens of plants, one set of which had been forwarded to Baron von Mueller. He paid a high tribute of praise to the Rev. Mr. Chalmers and the Rev. W. G. Lawes for their devotion to their good work in New Guinea. He (Mr. Forbes) had determined to establish a depôt at Sogari, which was three days' march from the coast, although it was only 25 miles directly inland as the crow flies. The main object of his expedition to New Guinea was the ascent of the Owen Stanley Range, for the elucidation of certain problems of great scientific interest. Throughout the trip he carried on a most arduous trigonometrical survey, besides taking meteorological observations six times in every 24 hours. The latter duty devolved on Mr. Hennessy. His Malays became rapidly acclimatised, and the distrust which at first mutually existed between them and the natives soon vanished. An experimental garden was established at Sogari, and everything was flourishing amazingly, but it was his opinion that the difficulty of carriage would preclude the valley of Sogari from becoming the white man's settling-ground. He extolled the natives as kind, timid, and inoffensive, and drew a painfully harrowing picture of the terror which took possession of them when an epidemic of disease, working inland from the coast, caused fearful mortality among them; how they deserted their villages and fled to the forests and jungles, leaving their families in isolated huts, until after weeks one chief called into the depot, a mere skeleton, to bid Mr. Forbes good-bye before dying; and how Mr. Forbes gave him medecine and generous food, which effected a rapid cure. The news spread far and wide, and this formed a bond of affection between himself and the people, and very many were cured; but owing to the dread all the natives had of going near the coast it was impossible to obtain supplies, and the party were reduced to one quarter rations daily. The lecturer detailed the final efforts made by Mr. Chalmers and himself to reach the Owen Stanley via Elai, but which failed through the superstition and terror of the natives, who, after promising to lead the party, decamped during the night. The party were therefore forced to return to Sogari, and thence they came to Queensland. The Hon. John Douglas, in speaking after the lecture, stated that he had appropriated £500 towards the exploration expenses, but £2000 was required. He had hopes that the colonies would guarantee the amount to enable Mr. Forbes to return immediately and resume his work in New Guinea for the purpose of piercing through to Dyke Ackland Bay. Captain Armit, in speaking upon the vote of thanks, pointed out the great difficulties of New Guinea exploration. He said it would leave a stain on Australia if Mr. Forbes was allowed to return to Europe for want of the necessary funds to extend his labours. If assistance was forthcoming at all, it must come at once to be of any use this season.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

INTRODUCTION OF THE TORRENS ACT IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

At one of the recent conferences promoted by the Royal Colonial Institute in connection with the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, a discussion took place upon the desirableness of introducing the principles of Torrens' Act into England. A number of leading colonists delivered their views upon the question, and they were unanimous in advising that the Act should be brought into operation in England.

NEW SOUTH WALES MORTGAGE, LOAN AND AGENCY COMPANY.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

Viscount Monck has been appointed a trustee in the New South Wales Mortgage, Loan, and Agency Company.

GRAND AUSTRALIAN BALL IN LONDON.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

A grand ball has been given at the Guildhall by the Corporation of London; 5000 guests were present; 1000 were colonists.

ENTERTAINMENT TO COLONISTS BY LADY SAMUEL.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

Lady Samuel will entertain 500 colonists at the Kensington Hall on the 23rd instant.

SIR HERCULES ROBINSON.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

Sir Hercules Robinson has quite recovered from his late illness. He will return to the Cape on the 17th instant.

THE ERUPTION OF MOUNT ETNA.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

The recent violent eruption of Mount Etna, in Sicily, has now ceased.

THE OLD ORIENTAL BANK.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

An Estates Company has been announced with a capital of £500,000, for the purpose of acquiring the assets of the Old Oriental Bank Corporation.

GERMAN AUTUMN MILITARY MANŒUVRES.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

The German autumn military manœuvres are to take place at Alsace.

THE ANGLO-SPANISH TREATY.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

The Catalans, or the inhabitants of Catalonia, in Spain, have acquiesced in the Anglo-Spanish wine treaty.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

AUSTRALIAN PARCELS POST.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

Sir Saul Samuel has completed arrangements with the British Post Office for the establishment of a parcels post from the 1st July next.

ANNUAL TRINITY HOUSE BANQUET.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

The annual Trinity House banquet took place last night. Sir Arthur Blyth, Agent-General for South Australia, and Sir Alexander Stuart, were amongst the guests. Sir Saul Samuel, who was also invited, was unable to attend. The Prince of Wales, in the absence of the Duke of Edinburgh, presided. His Royal Highness cordially welcomed the visitors from the colonies, and expressed the hope that the Colonial and Indian Exhibition would be the means of strengthening the union of Great Britain and her dependencies. The Marquis of Salisbury declared that the Exhibition would seal the union between the colonies and the mother country.

THE FISHERIES DISPUTE.

WASHINGTON, JUNE 5.

The United States Government has given orders for a naval squadron to proceed to Portland in order to prevent a possible conflict between the Canadian and American fishermen.

THE CHOLERA IN ITALY.

ROME, JUNE 5.

The cholera, which for some time has been prevalent in Venice, has now broken out in Florence. In Venice the disease is increasing in virulence, and several fresh cases are reported daily.

COLONISTS ENTERTAINED BY PRINCESS LOUISE.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

Her Royal Highness the Princess Louise entertained the Executive Commissioners of the Colonial and Indian Exhibition at a garden party at Kensington Palace to-day. Thirteen hundred colonial visitors were present.

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JUNE 5.

In the House of Commons last night Mr. Gladstone declared that a conference attended by ex-Premiers of the Australian colonies for the discussion of the question of the Federation of the Empire would not be a truly representative body.

The *Times* expresses the opinion that the question of Imperial Federation is not yet ripe for official treatment. It considers that the absence of a uniform Imperial tariff constitutes the chief obstacle to the establishment of a perfect scheme of federation.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDCN, JUNE 4.

In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Gladstone, in replying to a question, stated that the Colonial and Indian Exhibition did not present a favourable occasion for holding a conference on the question of Imperial Federation, as there was no gentleman present in England who actually held office in any colonial Ministry. Mr. Gladstone considered that the idea of holding a grand naval review in honour of the Australian and other colonists was not feasible, but he added that her Majesty's dockyards would be readily accessible to those desirous of visiting them.

THE ANNEXATION OF THE KERMADEC ISLANDS.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, SUNDAY.

The Premier has given notice in the House of Representatives that he intends to move the adoption of an address to her Majesty, praying that the Kermadec Islands may be annexed to New Zealand.

THE AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN IN ENGLAND.

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AUSTRALIANS v. GENTLEMEN OF ENGLAND.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, JUNE 4.

The match between the Australian Eleven and the Gentlemen of England was resumed and concluded to-day. The Australians played one man short. The weather was splendid, and the attendance on the ground was very large. The wicket was in better order than on the previous day. The playing of the visitors was much admired, and their performances all round were considered first-class. The Gentlemen of England commenced their second innings with a minority of 51 runs. Grace and Rock were the first to go to the wickets. By careful play the former contributed 11 before he was bowled. Read followed, and soon lost his partner, who was caught for 19. Roller, who came next, only made 4, being caught. Read contributed the same number, and was also caught. Vernon and Lord Harris then became partners, but after contributing 8 Lord Harris was bowled. Scott, the new comer, made 7 before losing his wicket, and he gave place to G. B. Studd. Vernon, who remained some time at the wickets, contributed 27, and then was caught and bowled. Kemp followed, and with Studd he made a slight stand against the Australian bowling, the latter making 29 before he was caught. Christopherson and Walker, the last two men, contributed 1 each, the former being bowled and the latter stumped. Kemp was not out 17; the sundries numbered 8, and the innings closed for 136 runs. Garrett and Giffen were most successful with the ball, Garrett taking three wickets for 30 runs, and Giffen six wickets for 70.

The first representatives for the visitors were Jones and Blackham, who played the English bowling with great freedom. Jones contributed 36 before he was caught, and Blackham scored 32, lbw. Scott only made 1 when he was bowled. Giffen and Bonnor made the runs necessary to win the match without the loss of another wicket, Giffen making 3, not out, and Bonnor 13, not out. The Australians thus won the match with seven wickets to spare.

The following are the scores:—

GENTLEMEN OF ENGLAND.

First innings, 99.

Second Innings.	
Grace, bowled	11
Rock, caught	19
Read, caught	4
Roller, caught	4
Vernon, caught and bowled	27
Harris, bowled	8
Scott, bowled	7
Studd, caught	29
Kemp, not out	17
Christopherson, bowled	1
Walker, stumped	1
Sundries	8
Total	136

Bowling analysis.—Garrett, three wickets for 30 runs; Giffen, six wickets for 70.

AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN.

First innings 150

Second Innings.	
Jones, caught	36
Blackham, lbw	32
Scott, bowled	1
Giffen, not out	3
Bonnor, not out	13
Sundry	1
Total, with three wickets down	86

The Australians commence their next match at Derby on Monday, against the county of Derby.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

The work of ballasting the line between Dimboola and the South Australian border has been commenced. The platelayers from Dimboola will meet those engaged on the section near the border in about a fortnight, at a point between Kanwa and Lillymur, thus joining the rails to connect Melbourne with Adelaide. On July 1, Messrs. Millar Brothers will carry mails over the whole of their contract, thus saving the time now occupied by coaches running between Bordertown and Diampurn.

The Trades' Hall Council has received a letter from the Sydney Trades and Labour Council stating that they purpose sending to England a representative to rectify the misleading statements that have been circulated about the condition of the labour market in Australia, and to prevent an undue influx of labourers to these colonies. The Sydney council asks the Melbourne council to co-operate. A question arose as to whether the Melbourne council would have to bear any share of the expenses. It was decided to await further particulars. The idea was favourably received, and it is probable that, if any money were required for such an object, it would be collected amongst the trade.

SUNDAY.

Mr. R. Murray Smith arrived from London this morning, by the P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Tasmania. He was cordially received by a number of friends. Mr. J. Salomons, Q.C., of Sydney, was also a passenger by the Tasmania. He leaves for Sydney by the express to-morrow.

Mr. E. G. Miller, manager of the Bank of New South Wales at Ararat, attempted to commit suicide yesterday, by discharging a revolver in his mouth. He is still alive, but faint hopes are entertained of his recovery.

The Government steamer starts to-morrow for Queenscliff to search for the rock on which it is alleged the steamer Angora struck last year.

A request has been made by Mr. Watt, consignee of the shipment of American apples which were condemned by the Board of Health because the fruit was infested with insects, that he should be permitted to re-ship the consignment to Brisbane. The Commissioner of Customs has acceded to the request. Mr. Walker has telegraphed to the Government of Queensland the facts of the case.

Mr. Bruce Smith, managing director of Messrs. Howard Smith and Sons, intends to come forward as a candidate for the Legislative Council at the next periodical election.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, SUNDAY.

The ministerial party returned this morning from their northern trip, having been away five weeks.

Information has been received from the Windorah police that C. H. Gibbes, of Coaverney, reports that payable gold has been found one mile from his house.

The schooner Governor Cairns, which arrived at Cooktown this morning from Port Moresby, reports that fears are entertained of the loss of the cutter Marion, and of the massacre of the crew, on the coast of German New Guinea.

The Q. T. C. has issued a programme for a day's racing on the 12th August. The stakes amount to £850.

The weather is cold and bleak. Light rain has been falling at intervals all day.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, SATURDAY.

It is believed that Messrs. Spence and Newland are the only members of the Ministry who will retire from the Government. Some difficulty is experienced by the Government in obtaining a representative in the Legislative Council.

CARDINAL MORAN IN THE SOUTHERN DISTRICTS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BRAIDWOOD, SATURDAY.

Cardinal Moran, accompanied by Dr. O'Haran, the Rev. Mahoney, and the Rev. Darcy, arrived here from Araluen at 5 o'clock to-day. The party were met on the road by a large cavalcade, which, headed by the Volunteer Brass Band, escorted the cardinal into the town. A large triumphal arch had been erected, under which Dr. Moran drove. He then entered the church, where a beautifully illuminated address was presented to him. The cardinal replied in suitable terms. The cavalcade was one of the grandest sights ever seen in Braidwood, and fully 1000 persons assembled to bid him welcome. To-morrow a confirmation service will be held, for which nearly 100 persons have been prepared. The Cardinal was driven from Moruya in Mr. Mort's four-horse drag. He leaves on Monday on his return to Sydney.

HORRIBLE CRUELTY ON BOARD AN AMERICAN WHALER.

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[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, SUNDAY.

Indignation has been caused here by allegations of revolting cruelty on board the American whaler Petrel, now at the Bay of Islands. One of the crew is alleged to have died at sea from the horrible treatment he received. The sailors tell how he was battered on the face with a keg of lead, and kept ironed hand and foot for weeks, for failing to properly make a pair of skids; how when lying helpless and manacled he was kicked brutally in the face, and his nose split, and was beaten with handspikes on the head till the blood spurted from his ears; his lip was split open with a knife and rubbed with a brick till the flesh was raw and bleeding, and when failing nature could no longer restrain itself, he was submitted to nameless indignities. The American consul has ordered an investigation to be made into the affair.

COUNTRY NEWS.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, SUNDAY.

Mr. W. J. Cullen, who for some time past has held the position of chief clerk in the goods shed at the railway station, died on Friday night from an overdose of morphia. An inquest was held, and a verdict of accidental death was returned.

BRAIDWOOD, SATURDAY.

Applications were received at the lands office this week for 40 acres as conditional purchase, and 300 acres as conditional leases.

Notwithstanding the severe drought which has been experienced, the health of the inhabitants is very good. There is not one patient in the hospital out of a population of nearly 8000. This speaks volumes for the general salubrity of the climate, and when railway communication with Sydney is completed it is anticipated that numbers of people will visit the district.

The weather remains fine and dry, and frosty. There is not the slightest sign of rain.

Mr. James Larmer, a very old resident, died this evening. He was surveyor of the first party that explored the Darling about Fort Bourke.

BREWARRINA, SATURDAY.

The Land Board terminated its sittings to-day, having dealt with 17 cases.

The weather is still cloudy and like rain.

BOURKE, SATURDAY.

At Walgett the river Barwon is 26 feet 6, and rising; Namoi, 8 feet 10, rising; Mogil Mogil river fallen 6 inches; Mungundi, 16 feet, rising; Brewarrina, 6 feet 6, rising; Goodooga, 3 feet 6, rising.

GRAFTON, SATURDAY.

A meeting of the Northern River Produce Union was held on Wednesday last in the Theatre Royal. A resolution was passed again affirming the desirableness of imposing taxes upon imports and levying specific duties equal to the tariff charged by Victoria. Votes of thanks were accorded to Messrs. See and W. Clarke, Ms.L.A., for their advocacy of the principles held by the members of the union.

Mr. H. Palmer, Engineer of Trial Surveys for Railways, has been inspecting the surveys here during the last few days. He started to-day along the route of the Grafton-Tweed line.

GUNDAROO, SATURDAY.

A meeting of the members of the Australian Mutual Provident Society was held here this afternoon, over 20 being present. Mr. Clemenger proposed, and Mr. Elliott seconded, the following resolution,—"That in the opinion of this meeting the establishment of a branch of the society outside the Australasian colonies would prove detrimental to the best interests of the present members." Mr. Affleck addressed the meeting at great length in favour of the resolution, which, upon being put, was carried unanimously amidst great enthusiasm.

In the mornings we are having very heavy frosts accompanied by dense fogs.

GUNDAGAI, SATURDAY.

At a meeting of the Railway Demonstration Committee held last night, it was decided to hold a demonstration to celebrate the opening of the railway to Gundagai, on the 21st July. The Government have given permission for the use of the goods shed for a banquet and ball, and the tender of Cripps for catering has been accepted. The Balmain Coldstream Band has been engaged, and the decorations are in the hands of Messrs. Sale and Dare, of Sydney. It is intended to invite the Ministry to be present on the occasion. The public have subscribed liberally, and the committee have determined to carry out the movement as originally intended, although many difficulties have been met with owing to the Government not having taken over the line earlier, and the incomplete state of the buildings. There is every promise, however, that the demonstration will be successful.

NEWCASTLE, SATURDAY.

Some excitement was caused to-day by a stowaway on board the four-masted ship Waterloo jumping from off the forecastle head into the harbour. The vessel was just proceeding to sea, and as the captain was coming alongside in his boat from the wharf he saw three men struggling in the water. One was the stowaway, another was an A.B. belonging to the ship, and the third was one of the pilot boat's crew, who had jumped in to rescue the stowaway, the latter being unable to swim. Captain Falkner and Mr Stewart just came up in time to save the three men, the two rescuers being nearly exhausted in trying to hold the stowaway up. All hands were got on board, and the police flag hoisted. The stowaway is believed to be out of his mind, and he is now in the lock-up.

Mr. Harry Stanborough, a well-known Newcastle job-printer, died yesterday.

WAGGA WAGGA, SUNDAY.

The ringbarking cases brought by the Scottish and Australian Investment Company against a number of selectors were concluded at the Police Court yesterday. The following assessments for compensation due to the company were made by the magistrate:—Gottlieb Holbisch, 580 acres, £36 3s.; Ann Tully, Charles Redman, G. H. Redman, each 84 acres, £40 each; Albert Jenkins, 320 acres, £20; John Halbisch, ringbarking £65, fencing £59 12s. 6d.; Jessie Robson Tully, 690 acres, £40; R. Tresilian, 600 acres, £37 10s.; Charlotte R. Thomas, F. and Sarah Tresilian, each £40 for 640 acres; W. J. E. Rothwell, 640 acres, £40, fencing £43 5s.; John M'Carthy, William Stanley Murphy, 640 acres each, £40 each; William Morris, 640 acres, £40, fencing £15 10s.; Walter A. J. James, ringbarking, £35, fencing £35; Mary Halbisch, 640 acres, £40; Peter Halbisch, junior, 640 acres, £40, and fencing £37 10s.; John Halbisch, junior, 582 acres, £36 7s. 9d.; Gottlieb Halbisch, junior, 640 acres, £40.

WALGETT, SATURDAY.

The weather continues dull and cloudy, with every appearance of more rain. The Namoi and Barwon waters have met. The Barwon is 30 feet, and rising, at the Dangar bridge, being over the banks there. With a few more feet rise the traffic to the bank country will be stopped. The New England waters have reached Mungindi. The river is now higher than it has been for four years.

The Sydney papers due here last night have not arrived, owing to the boggy state of the roads. On some parts of the Narran country eight inches of rain must have fallen.

WEST MAITLAND, SATURDAY.

The Mayor of West Maitland, Mr. Hyndes, J.P., has resigned his position as Mayor, owing to ill-health. He contemplates paying a visit to Europe at the end of this month, and will be banqueted previous to his departure.

Rain set in last night, and it continues steadily.

WILCANNIA, SATURDAY.

The following are the river reports:—Mungindie, 14 feet; Mogil Mogil, a banker, stationary: Barwon, 22 feet; Brewarrina, 4 feet, rising.

WINGHAM, SATURDAY.

A meeting was held this afternoon, at which Mr. Cochrane, the magistrate, presided. It was proposed by Mr. Abbott, and seconded by Mr. Dimond, that Sir Henry Parkes be invited to Wingham, when visiting Stroud and Dungog.

The progress committee, at their usual monthly meeting, carried a resolution protesting against the meetings of the district board, in connexion with the Stock and Pastures Act, being held at Copeland, to the great inconvenience of the public. It was resolved to ask for a separation of the district.

Rain has fallen for several days lately. The weather is now cold and threatening. It is feared that the rain will be too late to do much good. Considerable sickness prevails here.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

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THE TURF.

Great dissatisfaction was expressed by the public on Saturday when it became known that Tattersall's Grand National Steeplechase Meeting had been postponed for a week. Visitors from the neighbouring colony and the country districts were loud in their expressions of discontent at the apparently hasty and ill-considered action of the committee of Tattersall's Club in deciding at an early hour on Saturday morning for a postponement. Though the weather was threatening during the morning, the downpour of rain was not sufficiently great to justify the step taken. If the committee had deferred their decision until about half-past 11 o'clock they could not but have carried out the meeting as originally advertised. After 12 o'clock the day turned out beautifully fine, and was in every respect one suitable for an outdoor gathering. The course, moreover, could not have been seriously affected by the rain, for the sandy nature of the soil quickly absorbs the wet. Having determined upon a postponement, the convenience of both horse-owners and the public should have been studied by fixing the meeting for Monday or Tuesday. Moreover, by choosing next Saturday the committee will make their races clash with the meeting of the Sydney Driving Park Club, which has issued a most attractive programme. The Moonee Valley races at Melbourne on Saturday will also prevent many visitors from attending our only great steeplechase meeting. Altogether the committee have made a serious blunder, which cannot now be repaired, and it must be remembered there is no guarantee that next Saturday will supply that condition of weather which, in their opinion, is deemed necessary to accompany a winter race meeting.

Horse-owners who intend nominating at the office of the A.J.C. to-day must make their entries on forms provided by each club, and in all cases it is necessary to make the proper payments by separate amounts. The secretary of the A.J.C. desires it to be understood that he will not be responsible for any errors that may occur in forms that are filled up by his officials, nor will he himself be responsible for any entry, other than those by telegram, unless it be accompanied by the specified entry fee. The entries to be made to-day, before 4 p.m., are for the following races:—Metropolitan Stakes, with Mr. Clibborn; Hawkesbury County Purse, Hawkesbury Grand Handicap, Hawkesbury Guineas, Hawkesbury Produce Stakes; Geelong Sires' Produce Stakes, 1888; Foal Stakes, 1889; V.A.T.C. (Caulfield), Juvenile Stakes, Caulfield Cup, Criterion Stakes, Great Foal Stakes and Guineas; V.R.C. Maribyrnong Plate; Melbourne Cup, 1886; Normanby Handicap; Derby and Oaks, 1887; St. Leger; Sires' Produce and Foal Stakes, 1888.

COPMANHURST JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

GRAFTON, SATURDAY.

The Copmanhurst Jockey Club races took place yesterday. Fine weather prevailed, but there was a rather small attendance. The course was in fine order.

MAIDEN PLATE—1½ mile.

Mr. W. C. Attwater's ch g Scamp, 5 years, 8st. 12lb. (R. Burkhardt) ... 1
Mr. P. Walker's b g Astronomer, 6 years, 8st. 12lb. (R. Saul) 2
Mr. W. Campbell's g g Wonder, aged, 8st. 12lb. (W. Suttle) ... 3

Mr. J. Baker's br g Native, 6 years, also started.

A good race; won by half a length. Time, 2 minutes 30½ seconds.

NOVEL RACE—1 mile.

Counterfeit ... 1
Delusarie ... 2
Little Jack ... 3

COPMANHURST HANDICAP—About 1½ mile.

Mr. A. Garven's ch g Roulette, by Mazeppa—Modesty, aged, 8st. 12lb., including 5lb. penalty (R. Burkhardt) ... 1
Mr. P. Walker's b g Astronomer, 6 years, 8st. 2lb. (J. Neud) ... 2
Mr. W. Campbell's g g Wonder, aged, 6st. (R. Rathbone) ... 3

Arundel and Major were scratched.

After Astronomer had made the running for the first mile, Roulette went up and disposed of him in a few strides, winning easily. Wonder was beaten off. Time, 3 minutes 24 seconds.

MEMBERS' PURSE.—1 mile.

Major ... 1
Bones ... 2
Yarraman ... 3

Gaffer Gray also started. A splendid race the whole way. In the last half-mile Major and Bones were neck-and-neck, the former winning by a head, Yarraman being two lengths off third. Time, 2 minutes 2¼ seconds.

FLYING HANDICAP.—Once round.

Mr. C. Page's b g Major, aged, 8st. 12lb. (P. Manning) ... 1
W. Attwater's ch g Scamp, 7st. 3lb. (W. Carroll) ... 2
C. Page's ch g Roulette, aged, 9st. 3lb. (R. Burkhardt) ... 3

Astronomer, 6 years, also started.

Astronomer made the running until challenged by Scamp, when he retired beaten. In the last quarter of a mile Major put in a claim and eventually won by two lengths. Roulette, who was the favourite, tired under the top weight, and could never reach the leader. Roulette finished three lengths behind Scamp. Time, 1 minute 36 seconds.

SUBURBAN BICYCLE CLUB INTERCOLONIAL RACE MEETING.

Patron: The Right Hon. Baron Carrington, K.C.M.G. President: The Hon. Edmund Barton, M.L.A. Vice-presidents: Messrs. J. B. Holdsworth, R. Shute, R. G. Vallack, Dr. W. West. Committee: Messrs. H. M. Evans, W. Hamilton, G. Attwood, C. W. Bennett, E. P. Mayes, F. C. Stewart. Referees: Messrs. H. M. Evans, W. Hamilton. Timetakers: Messrs. C. W. Bennett, E. Gregory. Laptakers: Messrs. H. G. Curnow, J. Douglas. Clerk of the Course: Mr. A. Edward. Starter Bicycle Races: Mr. F. C. Stewart. Starter Foot Races: Mr. W. M. Mont. Arnold. Judge Bicycle Races: Mr. A. Lee. Judge Foot Races: Mr. P. R. Pedley. Hon. Secretary, Mr. H. Moyse.

The Suburban Bicycling Club held a most successful intercolonial race meeting on the Association Ground, Moore Park, on Saturday. The meeting had been postponed from the previous week, owing to the inclemency of the weather, and on Saturday morning it seemed again doubtful whether the track would be dry enough, but a little sunshine in the middle of the day made it sufficiently firm, although the running was exceedingly heavy, and the times some of the slowest on record. The attendance could not have been less than 9000, and the greatest enthusiasm was exhibited throughout the meeting. The last race—the Five-mile Intercolonial Cup—was actually finished in the moonlight, but the people, nevertheless, did not desert the ground until it had been finished. The intercolonial visitors were:—Victoria: Messrs. H. S. Bale, G. S. Geddes, J. W. H. Busst, A. E. Browne, D. R. Stewart, C. Dwyer, W. J. Harrison, H. R. Stokes, and G. D. O'Neill. Queensland: Messrs. F. W. Belbridge, H. W. Atkinson, J. Love, and H. Isles. The Tasmanian riders—Messrs. Tregonning and Hallam—were not present. The Naval Brigade Band was in attendance by permission of Commanders Lindeman and Lewington, and played selections during the day. The programme comprised the One-mile Maiden Handicap, won by C. E. Attwood; the 150-yards Handicap Flat Race, by A. Curnow; the One-mile Open Bicycle Handicap, by C. Patterson; the One-mile Amateur Bicycle Championship, by Dwyer; the All-schools Mile Bicycle Handicap, by W. W. Higgins; the Two-miles Invitation Bicycle Scratch Race, by Dwyer; the Mile Tricycle Handicap, by J. P. Harrison; the Three-miles Open Handicap, by E. M'Donald; and the Five-miles Intercolonial Cup, by Dwyer. In the latter event a protest was entered against Dwyer by Foulkes, the second man, for taking the inside running.

The following is the programme of events:—

One Mile Maiden Handicap.—First heat: There were 13 starters out of 16 entries. H. A. Wilson, with a start of 125 yards, kept the lead until a third of the last round had been negotiated, when C. Patterson went to the front and led home from D. R. Alderton, who came very close to him at the finish. A. Wendeyer was third. Time, 3 minutes 46 seconds. Second heat: 12 started out of 16 entries. E. A. Pearson, 110 yards, led in the second round, closely attended by F. J. Eichler. C. E. Attwood then went through the field and led home without being pressed; Eichler second. There was a good race between Pearson and S. A. Brocklebank, who rode an excellent race for third place; the former scoring by just enough to judge by. Brocklebank got a heavy tumble immediately after passing the post. Time, 3 minutes 39½ seconds. Final heat: The starters were Attwood, Patterson, Pearson, Alderton, Eichler, Wendeyer. The latter fell. Eichler, who had 115 yards start, won a somewhat easy race, Patterson second, Pearson third. Time, 3 minutes 39 seconds.

150 Yards Flatrace Handicap.—First heat: R. H. J. Dean, 1; H. S. Frederick, 2. Time, 14 seconds. Second heat: A. Eden, 1; G. E. M. Eden, 2. Seven started. Time, 14½ seconds. Third heat: G. Leeder, 1; W. C. Freeman, 2. Six started. Time, 14 4-5 seconds. Fourth heat: R. C. Robertson, 1; A. Curnow, 2. Seven started. Time, 14 3-5 seconds. Final heat: Curnow, G. E. M. Eden, A. Eden. Time, 14 1-5 seconds.

One Mile Open Handicap.—First heat—starters: W. H. Ballard, F. W. Belbridge, A. Fry, H. Salwey, J. Edgar, A. Murray, W. Buckingham, D. Waddell, G. A. Wood, and H. M. Shelley. A lead of 225 yards enabled Shelley to keep ahead for the first round, with Wood second, and Waddell third. In the second round Buckingham went to the front, Wood being still second and Waddell third. In the third Salwey took a long lead and won by 30 yards, Buckingham second, G. A. Wood third. Time, 3 minutes 20 3-5 seconds. Second heat—Starters: W. H. Chapman, E. M'Donald, C. Cutbush, J. F. Rugg, C. Patterson. Patterson had a start of 240 yards, and won with the greatest ease. He was never even challenged, and the handicap was far too much in his favour. In the second M'Donald passed Cutbush, and kept second place to the finish. Cutbush third. Chapman gave up in the last lap. Time, 3 minutes 18 2-5ths seconds. Third heat—Starters: E. W. Quirk, G. Pearson, A. E. Riley, H. W. Atkinson, E. C. S. Chapman, G. T. Attwood, G. S. Geddes. Geddes, Attwood, and Chapman led in the order named for the first round, after which several exchanges took place among them. Quirk took third place at the end of the third round, after which he went to the front and won without difficulty, Chapman second, Geddes third. Time, 3 minutes 18 1-5ths seconds. Final heat: There were nine starters, the race falling to Patterson, Geddes second, and Buckingham third. Time, 3 minutes 21 3-5ths seconds.

One-mile Amateur Championship of New South Wales.—Starters: J. W. H. Busst (Melbourne), A. E. Browne (Melbourne), H. R. Stokes (Melbourne), C. R. Wood (Balmain), Con Dwyer (Fernside, Victoria). As the competitors came out on to the track they were loudly cheered. In the draw Dwyer got the inside running, with Busst next to him. Wood did not start very quickly, but the rest of the field got away well together. When half of the first round had been negotiated Stokes took the lead, Browne, Dwyer, Busst, and Wood following in the order named, wheel to wheel. In the middle of the third round Wood tried to better his position, but was unable to do so. Con Dwyer took second place from Browne, and in the middle of the last round a desperate race ensued. Con Dwyer went to the front, but was immediately challenged by Browne, who took the lead from him for 40 or 50 yards. Dwyer then made a brilliant run, cut down Browne without trouble, and raced home an easy winner, amid loud cheering. Busst ran into second place, beating Browne on the post; Wood fourth, Stokes fifth. Dwyer was carried into the pavilion by his numerous admirers. Time, 3 minutes 33 seconds.

All Schools Mile Bicycle Handicap.—There were 16 starters for this event, which was won with about 10 yards to spare by W. W. Higgins, who started from scratch. M. A. Vennard was second, and E. O'Brien third. Time, 4 minutes 58 3-5th seconds.

Two Miles Invitation Scratch Race.—The starters were J. W. H. Busst, A. E. Browne, C. R. Wood, F. W. Belbridge, and Con Dwyer. This proved to be one of the most exciting races of the day. Dwyer went to the front at the start, followed by Busst. Wood took second place in the first round, and Belbridge third. In the third round Browne took the lead, and was in front when the mile was completed in 3 minutes 4 seconds. Dwyer held second place, Wood third, Belbridge fourth, Busst fifth. Belbridge took the lead from Dwyer and Wood, but they very quickly closed on him. Wood made a grand spurt, which gave him the lead. He was followed by Dwyer, with Browne third. In the last round Dwyer went to the front with a clever run, followed by Busst, who, however, was unable to reach him. Wood finished third. Time, 7 minutes 21 seconds.

One Mile Tricycle Handicap.—The starters were J. P. Harrison, H. R. Stokes, J. Copland, A. H. Blackstone, J. F. Rugg, R. B. Creagh, J. Edgar. Edgar, who had a start of 220 yards, seemed to have the race in hand, but the distance proved to be too much for him. In the second round Stokes went to the front, and won very easily; Harrison second, Blackstone third. Time, 3 minutes 56 seconds.

Three Miles Open Handicap.—There were 19 starters for this event. E. M'Donald led through the last round, closely followed by E. C. S. Chapman and Quirk. Towards the finish an exciting race ensued between Quirk and M'Donald, but the latter was just able to hold his own, and won a splendid contest; Chapman third. Time, 10 minutes 40 seconds.

Five Miles Intercolonial Cup.—To be won three times; six starters or no race. Present holder, C. W. Bennett. The starters were:—J. W. H. Busst, A. E. Browne, J. S. Foulkes, Con. Dwyer, W. R. George, and Stokes. The latter two simply started to fulfil the conditions of the race, and only held on for a round. For the first mile and a half the field kept together, but Foulkes and Dwyer then went away together, and racing close to one another had gained a lap upon Browne and Busst when three miles and a half had been accomplished. The leaders held together until the middle of the last lap, Foulkes having the inside running. The latter then widened out to avoid some bad ground, whereupon Dwyer ran through it on the inside, raced ahead, and came home an easy winner. Time, 19 minutes 15 seconds. Foulkes held up his hand to protest when Dwyer passed him, and subsequently gave in a protest in writing. Busst was third.

In the evening the Suburban and Balmain and Burwood Clubs entertained the intercolonial visitors at dinner at Gunsler's Café. Mr. H. M. Evans, Captain of the Suburban Club occupied the chair, with Mr. James Martin, President of the New South Wales Cyclists' Union, in the vice-chair. The company numbered about 50. The chairman, in proposing "The Visitors," said that much of the success of the meeting was due to the presence of the intercolonial representatives. Mr. D. R. Stewart (Victoria), and Mr. Bellbridge (Queensland), replied; and Mr. Stewart proposed, "The Balmain and Burwood Clubs," Mr. F. J. Peers responding. Mr. H. S. Bale proposed, "The New South Wales Cyclists' Union," and in doing so pointed out that the work performed by the Union could not possibly be accomplished by individual clubs. Mr. James Martin, in replying, said there were now 365 members in the Union, just one for every day in the year. He was certain that every cyclist was thoroughly in favour of the existence of the Union. He concluded by proposing "The Winners," to which Mr. Dwyer replied. He expressed a hope that a large number of New South Wales cyclists would visit the Melbourne meeting in November. Mr. S. H. Fairland proposed "Cycling," and Mr. Bladen replied. Mr. S. H. Lambton proposed Mr. C. R. Wood's health, and the latter replied. Mr. D. R. Stewart proposed "The Suburban Bicycling Club." Mr. Evans replied, and in the course of his remarks said that the success of the meeting was undoubtedly due in a large measure to the presence of the Victorian and Queensland representatives. The toasts of "The Ladies" and "The Press" concluded the toast list, and the prizes, which consisted of very handsome medals and other trophies, were presented to the winners by the chairman. The first prize in the Five Miles Intercolonial Cup Race was held over, pending the result of the appeal.

CRICKET.

THE CITY AND SUBURBAN JUNIOR CRICKETING ASSOCIATION.—The juniors competing for the Bowden Cup have decided upon naming their association the above. The annual general meeting of the members will be held at Rainford's Cambridge Club Hotel, Oxford-street, on Thursday evening next, at 8 o'clock. It is expected that Alderman S. E. Lees will occupy the position of chairman.

M'QUADE CUP.—OSBORNE C. C. v. WENTWORTH C. C.—The final match in the competition for this cup was brought to a conclusion on the Agricultural Ground on Saturday last. The Osbornes succeeded in adding another to their list of wins, winning the match by seven wickets and 1 run. The Osbornes in their first innings had compiled 229, their opponents (the Wentworths) compiling 162 in their first and 108 in their second innings, leaving the Osbornes 42 to win in their second innings. At the termination of the previous day's play the Osbornes had lost one wicket for 4 runs, Williams being out for 1. The rain which had fallen on Friday and Saturday morning caused the wickets to be very dead, and run-getting was a difficulty. During the early part of Saturday morning rain fell to such an extent that it was thought the match could not be played, but towards dinner time the sun shone out, and all appearance of bad weather disappeared. There was only a small attendance on the ground when the Osbornes resumed their innings, Palmer and Mitchelson facing the bowling of Burcher and Sparkes. Both batsmen played cautiously, the wicket being sloppy. Palmer, after a display of good cricket, was caught by Sparkes in the slips off Dickens, who had relieved Sparkes. (2-13-23.) Fobey joined Mitchelson, and 30 soon appeared on the board when Mitchelson was well caught by Colley off Dickens. (3-12-30.) Varley joined Tobey, and between them the required number of runs was obtained, Tobey being (not out) 8 and Varley (not out) 6. The Osbornes are now the winners of the M'Quade Cup and Medals, and from their performances throughout the contest, thoroughly deserve their victory. All the clubs they have defeated were considered at the commencement of the season to have a first-class show for the cup. The Conservatives, Eastern Suburbs, and Carthonas, undoubtedly very strong teams, were defeated by them in one innings; and, finally, the Wentworths, who had also defeated the Surrey Uniteds, have been compelled to succumb to the undoubted superiority of their opponents, the Osbornes winning by seven wickets. The Osbornes have for the last four seasons been engaged in contests for the Furness Cup, the Stedman Cup, the Peapes and Shaw Cup, and the M'Quade Cup. The two first-named and the latter they have won, and for the Peapes and Shaw Cup were in the final contest, and received the consolation prize. These performances for four consecutive seasons fairly entitle them to a place in senior ranks, and it is generally understood that they will next season seek a place among our seniors. The Wentworths will receive a handsome cup as a consolation trophy, the gift of Mr. Kerr, the well-known jeweller. The following are the scores:—

WENTWORTH C. C.

First innings	162
Second innings	108
Total	270

OSBORNE C. C.

First innings ... 229

Second Innings.

Williams, b Burcher	1	Varley, not out	6
Palmer, c Sparkes, b Dickens	13	Leg-bye	1
Mitchelson, c Colley b Dickens	12	Bye	1
Tobey, not out	8	Three wickets for	42

FOOTBALL.

GARDINER CUP.

UNIVERSITY v. BALMAIN.—The above clubs met on the Agricultural Society's ground on Saturday, when the play was watched with much interest. It was a fine, open, fairly fast, and well-contested game, the Balmain men offering a stouter resistance than was anticipated. E. Cameron captained the Balmain team, while M'Manamy led on the 'Varsity representatives. After some rather loose play, in which the 'Varsity players hotly pressed their opponents goal line, Barbour, by a spirited dash, got over the line, but Hungerford failed to increase the score. No further alteration occurred until "half-time," the 'Varsity having had slightly the best of the game thus far. During the remaining half of the game the University men had a decided advantage, but they missed several easy chances of scoring, M'Ansh and Colquhoun being the notable delinquents. Balmain also once missed a chance of scoring. At length Barbour obtained the second try for the University, and M'Taggart essayed the kick for goal, but failed. The result of the game was that the University won by two points to nil. For the winners Neill, Barbour, Wiseman, Hungerford, Shaw, Colquhoun, and M'Taggart played well, while for Balmain E. Cameron, W. Cameron, Harris, Dwyer, C. Cameron, and Hawkins distinguished themselves. Though defeated, the Balmain players acquitted themselves most creditably, and will before the season expires be very hard to beat.

WALLAROO v. REDFERN.—The first fifteens of the above clubs met for the first time this season on the Agricultural Society's ground on Saturday. The opening of hostilities was considerably delayed, owing to several of the Redfern players not putting in an appearance, and the want of umpires. The game proved a most hollow affair, the Wallaroo men running clean over their opponents from the start. During the first half of the game, Weaver, by a fine drop kick, secured a goal for Wallaroo. M'Arthur then obtained a try, from which no goal resulted, and Weaver soon after kicked a goal from a try obtained by Gilles. Though the Redfern men played much better during the second half, they could make very little headway against their opponents, who secured two more tries through the agency of Hungerford and Wade, Zolner failing to kick the ball in the desired direction in the first instance. The play was at times fast and open, and the passing of Wallaroo was fairly good. The Wallaroo scored 15 points to Redfern's nil. Those who distinguished themselves were—For the victors, Graham, the skipper, M'Arthur, Weaver, Caird, Tiley, and Gilles; and for Redfern, John Cleeve, James Cleeve, Coghlan, and Rennie.

BURWOOD v. ARFORMA.—The splendid ground of the Burwood Football Club, at Burwood, was occupied on Saturday last with a meeting between the above clubs. There was a large number of spectators present, who were greatly pleased with the good display given of Rugby football. Both clubs were fairly represented, and the game was most keenly fought throughout; but there were far too many scrimmages, and it was, in consequence, not as attractive as it might have been. There were, however, some brilliant flashes of play on both sides, each side alternately showing to advantage. The result was a draw, after a most stubbornly contested struggle.

WARATAH v. SYDNEY.—The meeting of these clubs drew a very fair number of spectators, about 700 gracing the playing arena. As was expected, the match was a really brilliant display of the Association rules, though at times too much out-of-bounds play occurred, in which the Sydneys were predominant. The latter were weakened by the absence of Goer, Butler, and Bruen; whilst Waratah suffered through the non-appearance of Lindsay, Dooley, Young, Morgan, and Harris. M'Kellar won the toss from Burton, and decided to kick for the northern goal, having a good strong wind behind him. However, it was of little or no service to Sydney, as Waratah had the ball in the Sydney's stronghold the greater part of the first quarter, excepting one or two spirited rallies on the part of Sydney, from which two behinds were scored, whilst Waratah had obtained an equal number. On changing over, and Waratah having the wind to help them, they completely hemmed the Sydneys in, and, after some out-of-bounds play on the western wing, Burton, by a really fine piece of play, got possession of the ball, and, eluding the grasps of his opponents, scored first goal for Waratah by a good running kick. Sydney again rallied and made a slight onslaught on the Waratah citadel, but Hume, Booth, Foster, and Merchant successfully warded off the attack, and operations were once again directed to the Sydneys' posts, where Arthur, Mitchell, and Foster had ineffectual shots. At half-time the game stood: Waratah, 1 goal 6 behinds; Sydney, 3 behinds. On resumption Bramley, Oswald, Booker, and Graham rushed the sphere into the Waratah ground, where Glennister had a try, but failed to score. Hume kicked the ball out with one of his long telling kicks, and some rather rough play followed. Graham gave Glennister a mark from which he scored a goal, making the scores even. At three-quarter time the game stood: Waratah, 1 goal 8 behinds; Sydney, 1 goal 6 behinds. The umpire having started business again, Waratah made several attacks on the Sydneys, but the goal sneaks were not in good goal-kicking humour, as they were unsuccessful in increasing the score, though both Arthur and Booth's shots each went within two or three feet of the posts. Bramley made a good run, being well supported by Sullivan, M'Kellar, and Booker, which had the effect of removing the ball into a much more desirable position. The game terminated in a draw somewhat in favour of Waratah, who scored one goal 12 behinds to Sydney's one goal seven behinds. For Waratah Burton, Fleming, Booth, Dexter, De Quincey, Foster, Rounsevell, and Arthur played well, while Sullivan, Graham, Bramley, Booker, M'Kellar, and Glennister strained every nerve to settle the question of supremacy, which still remains open. Mr. M'Donnell discharged the duties of central umpire fairly well, though it would be to his advantage, and to the players also, if he were to enforce his authority a little more rigidly.

JUNIOR CUP.—The following matches were played for the Junior Cup on Saturday:—Oxford v. Victoria, at Norwood Park, ended in a win for the former by two points to nil. The try was obtained by Deane. Strathfield v. Cammeray, at St. Leonards, resulted in a victory for the former, the respective scores being 11 points and 2 points. The tries were obtained for the victory by Want, Robberds, Beaumont and Pownell, and Wilkinson kicked a goal from a try. Dawson scored the touch for Cammeray. Randwick v. Manly, at Manly, ended in a victory for Randwick by 12 points to nil. Double Bay v. Loretto, at Double Bay, ended in a draw, each side scoring two points, Punch gaining the try for the Loretto, and Newman for Double Bay. Imperial v. Cleveland ended in a win for the Imperials, who scored nine points to nil. The touches were obtained by Sullivan, Barry and Thame.

OXFORD v. VICTORIA.—These two clubs met on Saturday at Norwood Park, Stanmore, to compete for the Junior Cup, a somewhat noisy game, resulting in a win for Oxford by two points to nil, the touch being obtained by Deane, from which Mangan failed to score. The Oxfords, although having a weak team, had the game right through, and besides the score above noted, repeatedly forced their opponents down, and scored two other tries, which were disallowed. For Victoria, Messrs. Hellyer, Moss, and Stoney worked hard; while for Oxford Messrs. G. Wareham (captain), Seymour, Mangan, Westhoff, and Clarkson should be singled out for splendid play. Mr. A. Wiseheart kindly acted as referee, and impartially gave his verdict when appealed to.

The match between the Arcadians and Caledonians being postponed, the latter gave a fine display of the British Association rules, as an exhibition game, with the Ambrose Juniors, on Moore Park. Most of the Juniors are natives of Sydney; and, with the assistance of Mr. G. Watson and J. Hardie, the Juniors played a comparatively good game all through, their passing, tackling, dribbling, and kicking (especially by that of Hardie, the smallest boy of the team) was greatly admired by the onlookers. J. Logan is worthy of mention for the manner in which he kept the goal during the first half. He only allowed four goals between the posts. In the second half the Caledonians played a much easier game, which was more equal, and the young lads came out of their shell and played an excellent good game to the finish. The Caledonians only added one more goal to their credit, thus defeating the lads by five goals to nil. For the Ambrose, Watson, J. Hardie, M'Bride, Speight, and Logan at goal, are worthy of special mention.

The Albion and Glebe Clubs met on Saturday at Rushcutter's Bay, when the game ended in a victory for the Albion by four points to nil. During the first half of the play the Albion players had much the best of the game, and scored a try. In the second half they obtained a try, which the Glebe protested against. However, as one umpire and the referee decided in favour of the Albions, the try was allowed. The decision was unpalatable to the Glebe men, who left the field.

Honorary secretaries of football clubs desirous of having their matches noticed must send in their reports not later than Sunday night.

CYCLING.

The following are the handicaps for the Balmain and Burwood Bicycle Club's Race Meeting, to be held at the Association Ground on Saturday next, the 12th June:—

One-mile Maiden Bicycle Handicap.—C. E. Attwood, scratch; C. Paterson, scratch; A. Kinnimont, 50 yards; J. H. Merriman, 50; C. E. Selby, 50; F. J. Eichler, 75; E. A. Pearson, 75; D. R. Alderton, 75; H. Miller, 75; W. H. Davies, 75; T. Buckingham, 75; J. Britain, 75; W. Kirby, 75; G. Tombs, 75; F. R. Mercer, 75; A. C. Jerrard, 75; T. W. Watson, 75; A. Griffiths, 85; G. Corkhill, 85; H. H. Godwin, 85; C. A. Hind, 90; E. H. Vale, 90; G. W. Whatmore, 90; G. A. Wood, 90; G. Croaker, 90; F. A. Thomas, 90; F. A. Boothe, 100; G. A. Richardson, 110; M. C. Davies, 110; T. J. Payton, 120; F. W. M'Donnell, 120; B. Aussel, 120; J. S. Davies, 120; F. H. A. Wilson, 120; F. E. Penfold, 150.

One-mile Open Bicycle Handicap.—Con Dwyer, scratch; J. W. H. Busst, 20 yards; A. E. Browne, 50; H. R. Stokes, 50; W. H. Ballard, 80; F. C. Evans, 100; F. W. Belbridge, 110; E. M'Donald, 110; E. W. Quirk, 110; G. Pearson, 130; H. Romshard, 135; E. C. S. Chapman, 140; H. Salwey, 140; J. Copland, 145; J. W. Brown, 145; H. W. Atkinson, 145; G. M. Nunn, 150; A. Fry, 150; G. S. Geddes, 160; G. T. Attwood, 160; J. Love, 165; E. C. Hughes, 165; W. Buckingham, 170; C. Cutbush, 175; C. E. Attwood, 175; J. F. Rugg, 185; W. H. Davies, 185; D. Waddell, 185; C. A. Jacob, 195; F. A. Thomas, 195; G. A. Wood, 200; M. C. Davies, 210; H. M. Shelley, 230.

Three-miles Open Bicycle Handicap.—Con. Dwyer, scratch; C. R. Wood, 50 yards; J. W. H. Busst, 50; J. S. Foulkes, 100; A. E. Browne, 150; H. R. Stokes, 150; W. H. Ballard, 235; F. E. Evans, 275; F. W. Belbridge, 325; E. M'Donald, 325; E. W. Quirk, 345; A. Fry, 390; G. Pearson, 390; H. Remshard, 390; G. M. Nunn, 400; H. W. Atkinson, 400; E. C. S. Chapman, 400; H. Salwey, 415; G. T. Attwood, 425; E. C. Hughes, 430; J. Love, 450; C. Cutbush, 460; J. Reed, 460; G. S. Geddes, 475; J. F. Rugg, 500; M. C. Davies, 500; D. Waddell, 500; G. A. Wood, 525.

One Mile Tricycle Handicap.—Con. Dwyer, scratch; C. R. Wood, 50; H. R. Stokes, 50; H. P. Harrison, 75; R. P. Hoy, 75; J. W. H. Busst, 75; J. Copland, 150; A. H. Blackstone, 150; W. Jeon, 175; F. Senior, jun., 210; J. F. Rugg, 225; R. B. Creagh, 240.

One-mile Safety Bicycle Handicap.—Con. Dwyer, scratch; J. W. H. Busst, 25 yards; C. R. Wood, 25; A. E. Browne, 50; E. W. Quirk, 110; F. W. Belbridge, 110; J. Copland, 140; J. Love, 165; J. F. Peers, 175.

150 Yards Flat Race.—1st heat: T. M. Hall, scratch; D. E. Taylor, 5 yards; J. M. Stewart, 5½; A. J. Turner, 7; P. Crossing, 8; J. H. Parker, 9; E. E. Robison, 9; W. Beaumont, 11. 2nd heat: R. C. Robertson, 4; A. Eden, 5; A. Langford, 6; F. G. Carter, 7; P. G. Board, 8; J. H. Druce, 9; W. H. Patterson, 10; F. J. Meada, 12. 3rd heat: S. L. Guy, 4½; A. Hart, 5½; R. Dean, 7; J. B. Sharpe, 7; H. C. G. Moss, 8; E. S. Rush, 9; A. Roberts, 11; C. Barnes, 14.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The final heats of the Sir Joseph Banks' Handicap will be run to-day at Botany, when there is certain to be some interesting racing. Ellem, the Grafton representative, is the favourite at 100 to 25 taken, with Reagney, Doxey, and Checkley next in demand.

PRINCE ALFRED YACHT CLUB.

On Saturday afternoon a complimentary luncheon was tendered, at Cremorne, to Commodore Milford, by the members of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club. Shortly after 1 o'clock the following yachts met and set sail for Cremorne:—The Sao (Dr. Milford, commodore); Iona (Mr. P. O. Williams, vice-commodore); Waitanga (Mr. A. G. Milson); Guinevere (Mr. S. Want), Doris (Mr. Mitchell), Mabel (Mr. J. Love), Assegai (Mr. G. F. Murnin), Violet (Mr. Jackson). At 1.30 a steamer left Circular Quay with a number of the club's guests. The threatening appearance of the weather in the morning quite disappeared during the afternoon, and the sun shone out brightly. On arriving at Cremorne a boat's crew from the Nelson was seen, having brought to the luncheon Admiral Tryon, who was accompanied by Lieutenant Packham. When the yachts had come to anchor in the little offing round the point, and the crews had come ashore, those present sat down to an excellent luncheon laid out in the pavilion by the caterer, Mr. W. Moon, of Redfern. The Vice-Commodore occupied the chair, having on his right the commodore, in whose honour the luncheon was given, and on the left Admiral Tryon. There were between 50 and 60 members and guests present, among the number being Captain Taylor (Wolverine), Messrs. Alex. Oliver, S. Want, A. G. Milson, A. Fairfax, A. J. Curtis, J. Love, G. F. Murnin, E. L. Smith, P. W. Creagh, and many other gentlemen closely associated with yachting. After luncheon the usual loyal toasts were proposed.

Mr. A. FAIRFAX proposed the toast of "Our Patron," in which, after reference to the Duke of Edinburgh, he expressed the delight of those present in seeing Admiral Tryon among the guests of the club.

The ADMIRAL briefly responded, and said that when he returned to England he was sure one of the first questions his Royal Highness would ask him would be with regard to the yacht club of which he was patron.

Mr. G. W. CURTIS proposed the toast of "The Army and Navy." He thought the present should be an occasion of pride to the club, when it saw the Navy represented there by its highest representative in the colonies—the Admiral of these waters. They knew the high interest the Navy took in yachting in this port, and that it was always ready to lend its support to it and help it forward. Whenever the Admiral was on board the deck of the Nelson they might be sure that if the yachts were going round the vessel he had his glasses on them and was watching them closely, but the speaker was sure he would see very little bad yachting when the Prince Alfred Yacht Club was out. (Laughter.)

Admiral TRYON returned thanks on behalf of the Navy. In doing so he said that he hoped before many years were passed they might see the part which New South Wales had so prominently taken with reference to doing something more than is now done to increase the naval defence of the colony, and work in co-operation with those existing resulting in the formation of a force that would be heartily welcomed by every man on this station, and every man belonging to the British Empire. Any addition to the force now in existence for the protection of the shipping on these wide seas, and commerce in their ports could not be anything but a most welcome addition to the naval strength of the colonies. There was a difficulty always in getting a combination, but he hoped that before long they would find that the great Australasian colonies would unite for one national purpose. (Hear, hear.) He was not going to speak for one moment of federation or confederation or other words which rhymed so well with botheration; but he thought they would all agree that they should attain one great end, and that was the maintenance of their existence as a really great nation. (Hear, hear.) He maintained that they must "fear not," and in order to "fear not" they should hold their own in the heritage handed down to them. He knew of no way in which agreement was more likely to be brought about than by the agency of a navy, which brought with it no political enmities; nor of anything more likely to promote their permanence as a nation than being strong at sea. The English taxpayer would gladly welcome any help he might receive from an added force from these colonies. A shilling per head of the population would go a long way, and that was not half the cost of an afternoon's pleasure. No one would feel it in their pocket, but they would feel it in the pleasure and pride of helping to maintain their country's position and establish a force which would add to the strength of the Empire. (Cheers.)

Mr. ALFRED MILSON, as an officer in the Naval Brigade, also responded to the toast.

Mr. ALEX. OLIVER proposed the health of their guest of the occasion, Commodore Milford. He referred to the career of their Commodore, whom he could remember in command of the Young Jack. The experience gained by him when in command of that yacht was precisely that which fitted him to be the Commodore of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club. To use a few words of Latin, he thought he might say of him *merses profundo pulchrior exiet*, for the more he was dipped in salt-water the sweeter he seemed to come out. (Laughter.) He thought he could hardly do justice to the toast, except by saying that from the time of the Young Jack until now as Commodore of the Sao his had been the best record he could remember in point of pluck and all those attributes which in combination made the true yachtsman. (Hear, hear.) He was sure they would all feel that so long as Commodore Milford was chief of their squadron the interests of that squadron would never be neglected. There was one thing he would take the liberty of suggesting, that there was no man in yachting circles in this colony who was so able to take up the question of great importance to yachting men in the near future—in 1888—as Commodore Milford. (Hear, hear.) He alluded to the obligation imposed on all yachting men in this colony to signalise that year by a splendid display on their part. It would be a shame to them if 25 years ago a prize of £300 could be given for an ocean yacht race, and they could not exceed that sum on the centenary of the colony's existence as a nation. He hoped the suggestion he had ventured to make would occur to them as one that was not inopportune, and one which if taken in time would enable them to do something for yachting in 1888 which had never before been done for it, and offer a prize which would bring all the yachts of the colony to our shores. (Cheers.)

The toast was received with enthusiasm.

Commodore MILFORD expressed how highly he felt the honour which had been done him. Whilst he had held office in the Prince Alfred Yacht Club his efforts to benefit the club and yachting in general though, slight—(no, no)—had been to the utmost of his ability; and he thought he was justified in saying that he had done this not only on account of the great pleasure which yachting had conferred, and still did confer, upon them all, but also on account of the benefits which they derived from it in health, spirits, and general morale. With regard to the pleasures of yachting, he thought there was none which could be compared with the legitimate object with which the Yacht Club was started and existed, and that was the *pleasure of racing*. He could say for himself that in a well-competed race, and towards the close, there was no excitement which could excel that of racing. With regard to the healthfulness of yachting and local advantages, there was no port could excel that of Port Jackson. Here we had greater advantages in climate, and especially in tides than they had in the old country. Again, in a yacht club such as this, the utmost kindliness of feeling was general. Although he had in the past taken a prominent part in yachting, yet in the future he might not continue to do so—(No, no)—but he would always take the highest interest in it, and always use his utmost efforts to benefit the sport, and especially the Prince Alfred Yacht Club, towards which he would always look with the utmost affection and regard. (Cheers.)

Mr. S. WANT proposed the health of the secretary, Mr. Bennett. In responding, Mr. Bennett said that next season the committee hoped, with the assistance of the senior yacht club, to get up an intercolonial yacht race, which might lead to their eventually going to America to try and win from yachting men there the "America Cup."

Mr. ALFRED FAIRFAX proposed the health of Mr. Pros Williams, the chairman, vice-commodore of the club. Mr. Williams, in responding, favoured the idea of sending a yacht to compete for the "America Cup," and thought that in Mr. Harold Reeks they had one who could design a yacht which would successfully compete in America. If it were necessary the matter might be made a public one, and a yacht subscribed for by the people of New South Wales, and thus in the highest sense a colonial representative be sent to America to compete for yachting supremacy.

After a chat and smoke the crews returned to their yachts and getting under sail, reached Sydney after 5 o'clock.

LAWN TENNIS.

CAMDEN, SATURDAY.

The Camden Lawn Tennis Club defeated the Campbelltown Club by four sets of six games each to one set. Barr and A. J. Doust were matched against W. Hurley and Mackel, and W. R. Cowper and W. Hughes against Payten and Stacey. A good deal of interest was taken in the game.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, SUNDAY.

The following have passed through:—

For Sydney (by express on Friday): A. Great, John Charnteer, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bellair, Miss Bellair, three Misses Whelan, Mrs. David Baker, Mrs. P. Jones, Mrs. Partitt, Miss Lord, Miss Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maddock, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. T. Caulfield and child, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mr. L. Batten, Miss Batten, Miss Steel, Miss L. M'Grath, H. White, S. Staton Saunders, F. Salisbury, H. Foote, W. R. Randall, H. A. Ballhausen, Mrs. M. P. Punch, Master N. Punch, Mrs. Heriot and two children, E. C. Orme, Perrett, J. C. Winn, A. S. Patterson, J. S. Butters, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Frank Davis, Brown, B. K. Marten, H. W. Heinecke, Chas. H. Kinder, Rev. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. White, C. Everett, Brigade-surgeon Futton, M.D., S. G. Cook, Bishop of Madagascar, W. E. O'Connor, John Fleming, J. H. Williams.

For Melbourne (by express on Saturday): R. Gibson, Miss Donn, Miss E. Price, Mr. Garner, sen., Mr. Gardner, jun., J. A. Gunn, George Whittingham, M. Jeffry, W. S. Williams, P. Duros, G. Raymond, Dr. Grady, C. Franklin, Mrs. Donn, W. M'Gregor, M.P., F. Tait, E. Royle, A. C. MacPherson, D. G. Tinning, G. Carrighan, J. Turner, E. Burgess, W. E. Ellis, W. S. Littlewood, Mrs. Orram, J. M. Chanter, Misses Chanter (2), C. Tindale, Mr. and Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. F. Stubley, Miss Searr, Mr. Alf. Lewis, G. Davies, N. Howard.

For Melbourne (by ordinary train on Saturday): J. M. Jacobs, E. Jackson, J. Bell, J. B. Miller, D. J. Hain, Miss Blanche Thompson, W. B. Ridge, F. Morris, A. J. Bishop, E. Bingham.

For Sydney (by ordinary train on Saturday): C. Rogers, Endacott, Townsend, Mailer, Hilton, W. Wright.

For Sydney (on Saturday): W. Horrocks, Mrs. Neill, F. H. Cadby, Mr. and Mrs. Player, Miss Seers, Mrs. Fullarton, Mr. and Mrs. Dight

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The transactions in the mining market on Saturday:—Stockton coal 30s.; Broken Hill South silver, 20s. paid, 15s. 6d.; Nevada silver, 2s. 10d.; Tonkin silver, 1s. The following are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
Balli Coal	—	10
Burwood	—	14/
Newcastle	—	—
Stockton	29/	30/
Vale of Clwydd	12/3	13/6
Wallsend	38½	40
Waratah	7¾	8¼
Wickham & Bullock Island	19/	19/6
Great Cobar Copper	—	8/
New Mt. Hope	2/	—
Nymagee	9/	10/6
Wesley Tin	—	1/6
Great Western	2/	2/6
Lubra	2/	2/6

	Buyer.	Seller.
Nevada (new), 18s. paid	2/8	3/
Silver King	3/6	4/
Sunny Corner	22/6	23/6
Tonkin	/9	1/
Broken Hill	38	40½
Ditto South, 20s. paid	15/3	15/6
Ditto, 10s. paid	9/3	10/
Ravenswood	—	20/
Band and Albion Gold	—	77/
Victory	19/	20/6
New Reform Lucknow	4/	—

The hon. secretary of the Stock Exchange reports the receipt of the following telegram from the secretary of the Broken Hill Proprietary Company:—"Only six days and a half work with furnace owing to changing furnaces. Ore treated, 191 tons; bullion made, 37 tons; silver, 17,091oz."

A correspondent of the *Argus* gives the following particulars respecting the rival routes to Kimberley goldfields:—"Kimberley is divided into East and West Kimberley, each territory having a port town, at which a resident magistrate is stationed. West Kimberley, of which Derby is the town, was settled soon after Alexander Forrest's exploration of the country, chiefly by Western Australians, and up to within the last four months was the only district having a Government establishment. In March last Derby consisted of six stores, two public-houses, a blacksmith's, and a boarding-house, in addition to Government camp and a few huts. It is almost wholly supplied from Perth and Fremantle, and is visited monthly by a coasting steamer, with the exception of the hurricane months, December, January and February. The town is situated on a point of Pindan (open forest, poor country), which has less swamp between it and the sea than the rest of the coast near it. The 'Amur Pool,' which is the roadstead abreast of this point, is not close inshore, but has a depth of from four to five fathoms water. Stock have to be landed at a point some distance north of Derby, although a few have been landed from the 'Pool.' Between Derby and the Upper Elvire it is 350 miles to the spot where the gold has been found, 30 miles E.S.E. of Mount Barratt. Derby represents Perth interests, and it is of vital importance to Western Australia that all traffic should be diverted via Derby; hence all recommendations in favour of the Derby route up to the present, even to the telegram from the Acting Chief Secretary. . . . As to the road, we have the opinion of Mr. Johnston, the surveyor, who surveyed every chain of it from Derby to the diggings, and thence to Cambridge Gulf, that the road from the Gulf is the best for feed and water, and 60 miles shorter. Bear in mind, this is no trader's recommendation; and by the latest accounts we hear that O'Donnell, the explorer, was going by a new route, by which he expected to reach the diggings in a little over 200 miles. Since he started Mr. John Forrest, the Surveyor-General, has been up the valley east of Mount Cockburn, and I have reason to believe that a new road will be found by that route on to the Denham River, and thence south; therefore the distance may be reduced to something under the 200 miles. Of course, it is wise to go provided with stores—say three months' supply—but I anticipate that ere this depots have been formed along the road from the Gulf to the diggings."

The Bigga correspondent of the *Crookwell Gazette* states that at Wood's Flat 60 shafts have been sunk. Some of the parties have unearthed several nuggets of late, one of which weighed over 3oz.

The *Carcoar Chronicle's* Burraga correspondent writes that the report of a new silver find there is absolutely false. The copper mine is as good as ever.

The Brisbane *Courier* of May 28 says, with regard to the Rockhampton district, that a few pieces of stone with specs of gold in them and a number of exceedingly small fragments of gold had been found recently on and around a mountain near Yeppoon, known as Mount Barmoyea. It is on a selection which was applied for by Mr. James Atherton, of Adelaide Park, in June of 1883, and which is not yet confirmed. A few gentlemen made enquiries as to the title Mr. Atherton possessed, and then formed a company. A meeting was held, at which it was stated that Mr. Atherton had agreed verbally to sign an agreement giving a company the right of mining on his land, and had afterwards refused to do so, and it was decided by a small majority to form a company with a capital of £1000, in 10 shares, to work a portion of the eminence, if there is any means of getting possession of it. Telegrams were forwarded to the Minister for Works and the Minister for Lands, informing them of the existence of gold—asking that the land might be thrown open to selection for mining purposes, and that Mr. J. F. Barry be given a reward claim for discovering the metal.

MANAGER'S REPORT.

New Reform Gold-mining Company, Limited, Lucknow, June 4.—Main shaft now 368 feet and timbered up; air winch answers admirably. All the various faces are upon the usual class of stone for crushing and concentration. Raised 110 tons, crushed 105, and thrown out 20 for the term, viz., two weeks; 91 bags of ore on hand. Will ship early through the coming week about six tons. All the machinery in good order, and dams full; am making arrangements for a constant supply. In consequence have called for tenders for eight head more stamps, which will make in all 20.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BALLARAT, SATURDAY.

Lone Hand Company, Kingston.—During the past week have crushed 98 tons of cement for 64oz. 10dwt. There is nothing new worthy of note in the mine. The yield of gold, including cement, was 457oz. Lord Harry, Kingston.—The pumps have been doing excellent work during the week, and there has been no stoppage excepting to change buckets. The water is two feet lower than last week, namely, 6 feet above the cap piece. As we are now progressing we will be able to overhaul No. 3 plunger in a few days. New North Clunes Company, Clunes.—Have finished chamber for the bottom level. The men are now engaged in laying flat streets, and when completed they will commence to fix plunger. The workings in the intermediate drives and stopes are producing payable gold. The quartz yield for the past fortnight was 183oz. 5dwt. 12gr. from 308 tons of quartz.

COPELAND, SATURDAY.

The Mountain Maid prospecting claim crushed 50 tons of stone for the splendid yield of 354 ounces of gold. They are still raising splendid stone.

COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE MARKET.—SATURDAY.

On the wharfs to-day, a small supply of produce was received from the Northern rivers, but stocks are expected to be augmented on Monday. Business was of an unimportant character, and prices were unchanged. The following are the wholesale quotations:—

Maize.—Moderate stock and additional supplies expected on Monday. Quotations, 3s 6d per bushel.

Oats.—Ample supplies of medium and discoloured lots of feed quoted from 2s 4d per bushel. Prime bright samples are salable at 2s 7d to 2s 8d; seed, 2s 7d to 3s.

Barley.—Inactive at 3s 3d to 3s 4d per bushel for Cape seed.

Bran.—Salable at 1s 4d to 1s 5d per bushel.

Pollard.—Working off at 1s 7d per bushel.

Hay.—Additional supplies from the Hunter River this morning. Trade was quiet. Prime green lucerne to £5 per ton; other qualities from £4.

Chaff.—Fair stock, and are expected to be replenished on Monday. Victorian at £6 to £6 10s per ton. Adelaide to £6 10s.

Onions.—Buyers' requirements amply met by late arrivals, and further consignments likely to be forward on Monday. Inactive at £6 to £6 5s per ton.

Potatoes.—Market fairly supplied, and additional shipments are expected on Monday. Working off steadily at £4 to £4 10s per ton for Circular Head; Ballarat and New Zealand, £3 10s.

Butter.—No change. Illawarra, in keg, up to 1s 10d per lb.; factory-made and roll, 2s 1d; intercolonial packed, to 1s 6d.

Cheese.—Business remains steady at 7d to 9½d per lb. for colonial; New Zealand, to 8½d.

Bacon.—Demand slack at 8d to 9d per lb. for hand-cured; Southern machine-cured, 7d to 7½d; heavy and rough, from 5d.; hams, 9d to 1s.

Lard.—Finely-rendered, in bladders, 7d per lb.; in bulk, from 4d.

Honey.—Good and clear, 4½d per lb.; other sorts, from 3d.

Beeswax at 9d to 1s per lb., according to quality.

Eggs.—Moderate supplies. Quotations, 2s per doz.

Poultry.—Demand slack. Fowls 3s to 3s 6d, ducks 3s 6d to 4s 6d, geese 6s to 8s, turkeys 5s to 12s per pair.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Sale of 2390 bales from Sydney and Queensland, by Willans, Overbury, and Co., on Thursday, April 1, 1886:—

Ex Port Darwin, from Sydney: JRC, Danrobin, 6 combings hoggets at 16d, 9 combings at 15½d, 14 combings at 14d; Star over New England, 7 at 11d; A in circle, 19 at 10½d.

Ex Hawkesbury, from Sydney: Llanillo, 2 scoured combings at 14½d, 2 broken and fleece at 12d, 27 bellies part fleece at 9½d, 2 bellies at 8d, 8 pieces at 8d, 5 at 7d, 11 locks part pieces at 7½d, 5 locks at 6d, 1 broken and black at 7d; Goonal, 28 grease at 7d, 34 at 6½d, 33 hoggets at 7d, 5 pieces at 6d, 6 bellies at 4½d; JR over R, 5 grease at 5½d, 2 skirts at 3½d, 1 mixed damaged at 2½d.

Ex Cimba and Aberdeen, from Sydney; LL connected over Namoi, 5 scoured at 13d, 10 bellies and pieces at 10d, 4 grease black at 11d, 25 combings hoggets at 8d, 5 at 7½d, 124 grease combings at 7d, 57 at 6½d, 33 grease hoggets at 6½d, 116 grease at 6d, 1 damaged at 6d, 16 lambs at 6d, 4 at 4½d, 6 at 4d, 20 pieces at 5½d; WJD, 2 grease gray at 9½d, 16 grease hoggets at 8½d, 13 at 7½d, 20 combings at 8d, 11 at 7d, 3 damaged at 7d, 6 combings hoggets at 7d, 8 grease at 7½d, 25 at 7d, 5 at 6d, 6 damaged at 6d, 6 pieces at 7d; Burburgate, 11 scoured pieces at 8½d, 2 at 6d, 6 bellies at 7½d, 4 locks at 6d, 3 grease combings hoggets at 6½d, 12 at 5½d, 49 combings at 6d, 41 at 5½d, 15 grease at 6d, 17 lambs at 6d, 8 at 4½d, 21 pieces at 5d; DR over y, 6 grease hoggets at 7d, 75 grease at 6½d, 7 at 6d, 74 at 5½d, 11 damaged at 6d, 11 grease pieces at 5½d; DR over M, 10 grease combings at 6½d, 8 grease at 6½d; WRS&Co., Bogamildi, 87 grease combings at 7d, 57 grease at 6½d, 7 at 6d, 20 pieces at 5d, 13 bellies at 4½d; TC, Drill Dool, 2 grease crossbred at 6½d, 7 greasy at 6d, 51 combings at 5½d, 28 at 5d, 2 damaged at 5d, 25 grease at 5d, 7 at 5½d, 4 at 5d, 4 at 4½d, 1 damaged at 6d.

Ex Caledonien, from Sydney: JM over T, 21 scoured part hoggets at 12d; Arrow over Lagoon Creek over WC over W, 27 hoggets at 11½d, 17 at 11d; SCH, 30 grease at 8d; Nubba, 36 grease pieces at 7d.

Ex Iberia, from Sydney: WR, 19 scoured at 10d; V&S over S in diamond, 4 scoured at 9½d, 3 at 7½d; MK, 12 at 8½d; VS over M in diamond over PH, 5 locks at 7½d; ditto over LA, 4 at 6½d.

Ex Orontes, from Sydney: BRN in diamond, 19 grease combings hoggets at 6d.

Ex Oceanien, from Sydney: RJ Talmas, 29 at 12d; WD Sutton, 13 at 11½d; GM Rosewortb, 8 at 11½d; ZYZ W. Bool, 13 at 11d; W over line, 8 at 11d; Mittagong, 8 scoured pieces at 10d; FFG, 10 skirts at 9d, 13 part bellies at 8½d, 4 skins at 8½d; JS Fairfield, 15 grease at 7½d; ICY Queensland, 6 at 7½d; JS over BL, 23 at 6½d; W Tarribanda, 5 at 6d.

Ex Duke of Buccleuch, from Sydney: G&M, 8 grease crossbred at 5½d, 7 crossbred pieces at 3½d.

Ex Roma and Merkara, from Brisbane: Greendale over TJ, 34 scoured pieces at 11½d, 34 at 11d, 23 grease at 5½d.

Ex Quetta, from Brisbane: Dillalah, 15 scoured bellies and pieces at 9½d, 1 locks at 6½d, 8 grease at 5½d, 43 pieces at 5d, 1 pieces damaged at 4d, 3 lambs at 4½d, 1 at 4d; W, 5 grease combings at 6½d, 1 at 6d, 2 pieces at 5½d.

Sale of 797 bales from Sydney, by Helmuth Schwartze and Co., on Friday, April 2, 1886:—

Ex Sir Walter Raleigh, from Sydney: Mein Narran, 28 scoured clothing hoggets at 16½d, 28 at 16d, 21 clothing at 16½d, 18 at 14½d, 41 at 14d, 21 combings at 16d, 24 at 15d, 29 combings hoggets at 15d, 8 scoured at 14½d, 6 at 13d, 75 pieces at 14d, 38 at 13½d.

Ex Roma, from Sydney: RHR, 5 scoured at 12½d, 12 skirts at 11d, 21 bellies at 11d, 1 damaged at 10½d, 6 bellies part locks and part skirts at 8½d, 3 grease hoggets at 6½d, 9 combings at 6½d, 26 at 5½d, 1 damaged at 5d.

Ex Potosi, from Sydney: £S, 7 at 11d; B over CD New England, 16 at 11d; C&E Mount Cooper, 37 at 11d; Crescent over O, 9 at 11d; Mt Pleasant, 7 at 10½d; GG over JJ over VV, 9 at 10½d; RM, 12 at 10d; A, 5 at 9½d.

Ex Famenoth, from Sydney: Charlton over LL, 1 grease black at 10d, 6 lambs at 6½d, 8 grease at 6d, 22 combings at 6d, 1 damaged at 5½d, 17 clothing at 5½d, 5 pieces part fleece at 5d; LL in triangle, 13 at 5d, 31 lambs at 4d, 1 damaged at 4d; Guntawang Mudgee, 29 grease combings at 7d, 1 mixed black at 7d, 2 lambs fleeces at 7d, 28 grease at 6½d, 9 damaged at 6½d, 10 lambs at 5½d, 3 at 3½d, 1 damaged at 3d, 1 lambs and broken at 4½d, 1 damaged at 4d, 10 broken at 5d, 4 at 4d, 6 damaged at 5d, 9 pieces at 3½d, 1 lambs and pieces at 3½d, 3 bellies at 3d, 3 damaged at 3d, 2 locks at 2d, 1 damaged at 1½d.

Sale of 1772 bales from Sydney and Queensland, by Charles Balme and Co., on Saturday, April 3, 1886:—

Ex John Duthie, from Sydney: H in angle over N S W, 9 hoggets at 9½d, 3 pieces and skirts at 6½d, 5 grease combings hoggets at 6d, 40 combings at 5½d, 7 grease at 5½d, 15 skirts at 4d, 6 damaged at 3½d, 9 pieces part locks at 3d, 2 damaged at 2½d.

Ex Cairnbulg, from Sydney: Edward Flood Midgeon, 8 scoured bellies at 9d, 17 at 8½d, 3 scoured pieces at 8½d, 2 at 5½d, 11 locks at 7½d, 7 at 7d, 5 at 6½d; Edward Flood & Co., Carabea over B, 32 grease clothing at 6½d, 9 at 5½d, 7 at 5d, 22 clothing hoggets at 5½d, 19 grease combing hoggets at 6d, 11 at 5½d, 39 combings at 5½d, 3 grease hoggets at 5d, 1 lambs at 5½d, 24 pieces hoggets at 5d, 13 pieces at 5d, 20 at 4½d; JC over M in diamond, Bland, 6 grease combings at 7½d, 361 at 7d, 72 pieces at 5½d, 28 bellies at 4½d; C in diamond over Bland, 9 grease combings at 6d, 3 pieces at 2½d; Merryanbone, 4 scoured mixed at 7d, 5 grease combings at 6½d, 8 at 6d, 38 at 5d, 10 lambs at 5d, 9 at 4½d, 5 pieces mixed at 4½d, 1 at 3d.

Ex Oceanien, from Sydney: VRS in oblong, 7 scoured at 8½d, 4 bellies at 7½d, 4 pieces at 7d, 11 locks at 7d; Honeybugle, 81 grease combings at 5½d, 26 pieces at 4d, 5 at 2½d, 7 bellies at 3d.

Ex Gulf of Mexico, from Sydney: Barry, 50 grease combings at 8d, 3 damaged at 6d, 14 pieces at 6d, 1 damaged at 5d, 8 bellies at 4½d.

Ex Dunkeld, from Sydney: GB over P in diamond, Wybong, 27 grease combings at 7d, 2 damaged at 6½d, 5 skirts and bellies at 5d, 4 locks at 2½d.

Ex Gulf of Venice, from Sydney: WBY, 12 grease combings at 6½d; HE, 9 at 6½d, 1 grease bellies at 3d.

Ex Bulimba and Roma, from Sydney: BBR, Emmett Downs, 17 grease combings hoggets at 6½d, 88 combings at 5½d, 8 combings fleece at 5½d, 10 grease at 6d, 1 damaged at 4½d.

Ex Chimborazo, Orient, and Iberia, from Sydney: Colane, 24 grease lambs at 6½d, 19 at 6d, 25 lambs part black at 5d, 22 lambs at 4½d, 1 at 4d, 25 at 3½d, 2 at 2½d, 1 broken at 5½d, 51 grease combings at 6d, 26 part black at 5½d, 20 grease at 5d, 1 pieces and bellies at 4½d; Budgery, 4 grease lambs at 4½d, 3 part lambs at 4d.

Ex Cimba, from Queensland: 22 grease combing hoggets 10 6½d, 28 combings at 6d, 15 at 5½d, 11 grease at 6d, 4 at 5d, at pieces part fleece at 4½d, 14 bellies and pieces at 3½d, 7 locks at 2d.

Ex Roma, from Queensland: VM in diamond, 20 grease at 4½d, 11 at 3½d, 1 bellies at 2½d.

STOCK IN BONDED WAREHOUSES, SYDNEY.

Week ending June 4, 1886.

	Stock in bond May 28, 1886.	Since imp'rtd and distil'd	Duty paid.	Exported.	Total issues during week.	Stock in bond June 4, 1886.
Rum, puncheons	25	...	...	...	...	25
Ditto, hogsheads	665	...	31	10	41	624
Ditto, quarters	2,432	...	87	27	114	2,318
Ditto, octaves	3	...	...	...	...	3
Ditto, cases	3,168	32	160	...	160	3,040
Brandy, hhds.	636	14	8	...	8	642
Ditto, quarters	8,716	205	120	38	158	8,763
Ditto, octaves	492	12	3	...	3	501
Ditto, cases	44,345	2034	1116	409	1525	44,854
Whisky, hhds.	154	...	6	...	6	148
Ditto, quarters	4,279	100	99	51	150	4,229
Ditto, octaves	718	...	5	19	24	694
Ditto, cases	50,236	275	1410	519	1933	48,578
White Spirit, pun.	35	...	...	...	...	35
Ditto, hogsheads	46	...	1	...	1	45
Ditto, quarters	501	...	4	...	4	497
Ditto, octaves	54	...	...	...	...	54
All other Spirits, p.	31	...	...	...	...	31
Ditto, hogsheads	2	...	...	...	...	2
Ditto, quarters	16	...	...	...	...	16
Ditto, octaves	64	...	...	...	...	64
Ditto, cases	966	17	30	1	31	952
Geneva, ditto	23,468	5	656	49	705	22,768
Ditto, hogsheads	28	...	2	...	2	26
Schnapps, cases	13,384	100	831	50	881	12,603
Gin, ditto	4,457	22	300	21	321	4,158
Liqueurs, ditto	1,828	70	65	10	75	1,823
Still Wine, butts	44	...	1	...	1	43
Ditto, hogsheads	120	...	6	...	6	114
Ditto, quarters	1,287	39	42	32	74	1,252
Ditto, octaves	200	...	...	...	...	200
Ditto, cases	17,328	284	81	84	165	17,447
Sparkling Wine, do.	7,946	120	265	...	205	7,861
Chicory, ditto	316	...	8	...	8	308
Opium, ditto	58	...	3	2	5	53
Kerosene, ditto	59,844	8	1755	156	1911	57,941
Tea, chests	63	...	2	...	2	61
Ditto, half-chests	9,924	124	434	30	464	9,584
Ditto, boxes	5,407	...	226	26	252	5,155
Ditto, packages	2,606	...	6	...	66	2,660
Sugar, tons	323	1	30	32	62	262
Coffee, ditto	5	1	...	1	1	5
Tobacco, man'fctd. —half-tierces	2	...	...	...	...	2
Ditto, qr.-tierces	179	...	...	32	32	147
Ditto, boxes	359	1	...	16	16	344
Ditto, cases	1,232	181	18	47	65	1,348
Leaf Tobacco, hds.	536	...	3	...	3	533
Ditto, tierces	419	...	2	...	2	417
Ditto, cases	61	...	1	...	1	60
Ditto, bales	77	...	2	...	2	75
Cigars, cases	1,671	134	46	8	54	1,751
Snuff, ditto	5	...	...	...	...	5
Rice, tons	514	1	11	38	49	266
Colonial Spirits—						
Rum, Custms. hds.	819	50	2	21	23	846
Ditto, ditto, qrs.	4	10	...	10	10	6

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR JUNE 5, 1886.

Stations	W.T.	M'x	M'n	R'n
Albury	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Armidale	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Balranald	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bathurst	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bend'm'r	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bodalla	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bourke	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Carcoar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Casino	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cassilis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clarence	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cooma	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Coonab'n	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C'namble	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cowra	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Deniliq'n	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dubbo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eden	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Euston	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Forbes	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gl'n Inn's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Goulburn	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grafton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gulgong	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gunnedah	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hay	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hill End	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Inverell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kiandra	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lismore	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Maitland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Menindie	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Moree	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Moruya	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Moss Vale	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mt. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M. Victor	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mudgee	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M'r'rundi	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M'r'r'd'n	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Narrabri	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Newcastle	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nowra	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Orange	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Picton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P. M'q'rie	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P. St'ph'n	r	78	55	1·05
Q'nbeyan	b	53	34	0
Quirindi	n	63	46	0
Singleton	r	54	49	0
SYDNEY	r	58	49	0·49
Tamw'rth	b	63	36	0
Taralga	c	61	35	0
Taree	g	64	51	0·03
T'nt'rfield	g	63	44	0
Wagga	n	59	27	0
Walcha	b	56	31	0
Walgett	g	62	46	0
W'ntw'rth	b	63	35	0
Wilcannia	c	—	—	0
W'll'ng'ng	c	62	51	0·37
Young	b	67	45	0

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

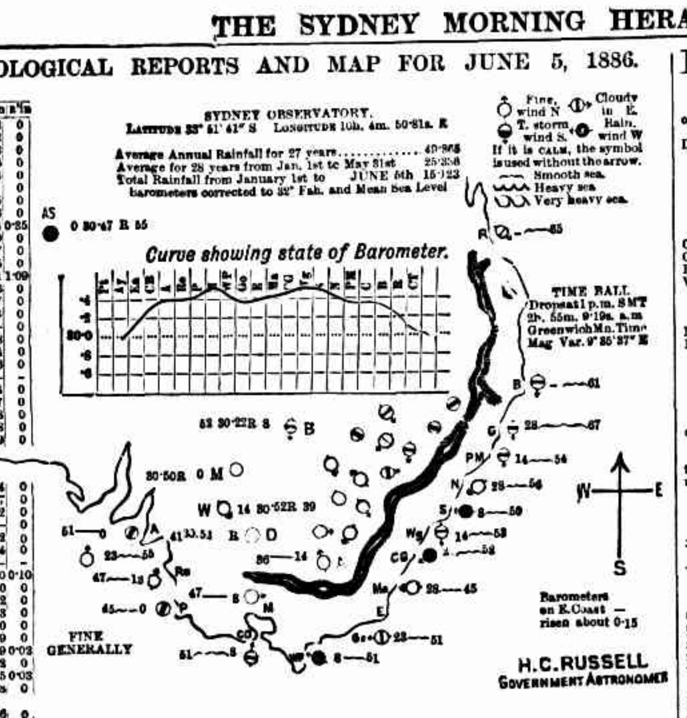
LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·8s. E.

Average Annual Rainfall for 27 years ... 49·865

Average for 28 years from Jan. 1st to May 31st 23·258

Total Rainfall from January 1st to JUNE 5th 15·122

barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level


Fine, Cloudy, Rain, T. storm, wind N, wind E, wind S, wind W
If it is calm, the symbol is used without the arrow.
Smooth sea
Heavy sea
Very heavy sea
Curve showing state of Barometer.
TIME BALL
Dropped 1 p.m. SMT
Greenwich Mn. Time
Mag. Var.
FINE GENERALLY
Barometers at E.Coast risen about 0·15
H.C. RUSSELL
GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER

NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x, gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n, the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each coast station the wind symbol is placed like a vane pointing to the direction from which the wind is coming. A clear circle with it means fine weather; a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour; next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—Pt, Perth; Ay, Albany; Ea, Eucla; CB, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; Re, Robe; P, Portland; M, Melbourne; W P, Wilson's Promontory; Go, Gabo; E, Eden; Ma, Moruya; C G Jervis Bay; Wg, Wollongong; S, Sydney; N, Newcastle; P M, Port Macquarie; C, Clarence River; B, Brisbane; R, Rockhampton; Ct, Cooktown. Inland the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

Western Australia.—Albany: Showery, with fresh west wind. Rainfall, 0·20. Barometer, 29·84. Perth: Showery, with N.W. wind. Rainfall, 1·82. Temperature, 58°. Barometer, 29·97.

South Australia.—Generally fine and cold, frosty in places, with light N.E. to S.E. winds, fallen barometers, and smooth sea. No rain fallen. Extremes of barometers and temperature: M'Donnell Bay, 30·47 and 44°; Port Darwin, 29·94 and 75°.

Victoria.—Generally fine, with light north and N.E. winds, risen barometers, and smooth sea. Rainfall: Portland, 0·01; Cape Otway, 0·09 and foggy; Cape Schanck, 00·8 and foggy; Ballarat, 0·03 and foggy; Wilson's Promontory, 0·19 and showery. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Omeo, 30·54 and 30°; Horsham, 30·42 and 56°.

Tasmania.—Generally fine, with light south and east winds, fallen barometers, and smooth sea. No rain fallen. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Low Heads, 30·47 and 44°; Circular Head, 30·42 and 50°.

New Zealand.—Russell: Passing showers from west, with strong wind, barometer 29·5; Wellington, showery, with strong S.W. wind, barometer 29·7; Bluff, fine, with S.W. wind, barometer 30·0.

New South Wales.—Generally unsettled weather, with light S. to S.E. winds, very high barometers, and smooth sea. Light rain has fallen along the coast, heaviest Clarence and Port Stephens, at each of which places over an inch fell. At 9 a.m. this morning it was raining on the coast between Cape St. George and Port Stephens, and to Mount Victoria in west. Extremes of barometers and temperature at 9 a.m.: Wentworth, and and Deniliquin, 30·52; Forbes and Wagga, 32·23; Clarence, 67°; and Cooma, 21°. Extra stations: Eden, max. 58° min. 44° and fine; Bundarra, max. 66° min. 44°, cloudy; Morangarell, max. 60° min. 36° and fine. For further particulars see map.

Queensland.—Generally cloudy and showery, with S. and S.E. winds and moderate sea. Showery at Cape Moreton, and light rain at Cooktown. Extremes of barometers and temperature: Brisbane, 30.30 and 61°; Townsville, 29·86; and Cooktown, 85°.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Victoria.—Portland, E., 18, fine, smooth sea, temperature 57°; Cape Otway, E., 6, fine, smooth sea, temperature 56°; Melbourne, no telegrams; Wilson's Promontory, calm, fine, moderate sea, temperature 54°.

New South Wales.—Menindie, calm, fine, temperature 58°; Wentworth, N.E., 15, fine, clear, temperature 55°; Deniliquin, calm, fine, clear, temperature 62°; Moruya, S.S.E., 28, fine, but storm to eastward, sea rough, temperature 63°; Cape St. George, S.W., 28, showery, smooth sea, temperature 56°; Sydney, S.E., 10, cloudy, smooth sea, temperature 60°; Newcastle, S.E., 14, fine, moderate sea, temperature 62°; Port Macquarie, S., 28, unsettled, moderate sea, temperature 66°; Clarence River, S.W., 14, showery, moderate sea; Walgett, E.S.E., 8, cloudy, cold temperature 60; Goulburn, calm, cloudy, temperature 56°.

STATE OF RIVERS.

Murrumbidgee: At Wagga, 1 foot above summer level; at Hay, below summer level; at Balranald, below summer level. Murray: At Albury, 6 inches above summer level; at Euston, low. Darling: At Wentworth, below summer level; at Pooncarie, below summer level; at Menindie, low; at Wilcannia, low; at Bourke, below summer level, and stationary.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JUNE 7.

Sun: rises at 7.1, sets at 4.56; Moon, 11.0 a.m., 9.44 p.m. Mercury, 6.38 a.m., 4.36 p.m.; Venus, 3.35 a.m., 2.41 p.m.; Mars, 12.30 p.m., 12.4 a.m.; Jupiter, 12.52 p.m., 12.42 a.m. Saturn, 8.42 a.m., 6.36 p.m. New Moon, 3rd; full moon, 16th.

High water at Fort Denison, June 7: 11.38 a.m.

A WONDERFUL MEDICINE. BEECHAM'S PILLS are admitted by thousands to be worth above a Guinea a box for Bilious and Nervous Disorders, such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Sick Headache, Giddiness, Fulness and Swelling after meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Scurvy, Blotches on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, &c. The first dose will give relief in 20 minutes. This is no fiction, for they have done it in thousands of cases. Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try one box of these pills, and they will be acknowledged to be WORTH A GUINEA A BOX.

For females of all ages these pills are invaluable, as a few doses of them carry off all humours, and bring about all that is required. No female should be without them. There is no medicine to be found to equal Beecham's Pills for removing any obstruction or irregularity of the system. If taken according to the directions given with each box they will soon restore females of all ages to sound and robust health.

For a weak stomach, impaired digestion, and all disorders of the liver, they act like "magic," and a few doses will be found to work wonders upon the most important organs of the human machine. They strengthen the whole muscular system, restore the long-lost complexion, bring back the keen edge of appetite, and arouse into action, with a Rosebud of Health, the whole physical energy of the human frame. These are "facts" admitted by thousands, embracing all classes of society; and one of the best guarantees to the Nervous and Debilitated is Beecham's Pills have the largest sale of any patent medicine in the world.

Full directions are given with each box. Sold by all Druggists and Patent Medicine Dealers throughout the colonies.

Late Advertisements.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering and Painting a Weatherboard Cottage at Rose-street, Balmain. Apply on job, to W. Callingham.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, one who can do plain cooking. Apply Windsor Castle Hotel, Elizabeth-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a GIRL, to mind a baby. Mrs. Cunard, Lindeman's Hotel, Church-hill.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 13, Jamieson-street.

WANTED, Floorman. Morgan and Terrow, farriers. Apply Champion of Freedom Hotel, Bourke-st., Wool'oo.

WANTED, a good KITCHENMAN. 202 and 204, Castlereagh-street, near Park-street.

WANTED, a BOY, accustomed to store work. 9 a.m., Produce Store, Darlington-rd. and Raglan-st., Darlington.

WANTED, a MAN, to drive a van. 3, Killfane-terrace, Bennett-street, Moore Park.

WANTED, a smart and sober WAITER. Apply early, 22, Sussex-street.

WANTED, BRICKLAYER for tuck-pointing, small job. School, Neutral Bay.

COMFORTABLE HOME, few tradesmen (bath), board optional. Mrs. Banbury's, 27, Belmore-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, PLASTERERS. Apply Castlereagh-street, Redfern, opposite Wright Heaton's.

BUTCHER.—Wanted, a smart SHOPMAN. Apply C. Glass, Campbell-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, Barmaid's or Housemaid's SITUATION, respectable hotel, town or country. A. M., Park-st. P. O.

WANTED, good COOK and LAUNDRESS, references; small family. Apply this (Monday) morning, Mrs. Baar, Hazel, Ocean-street, Woollahra, opposite tram terminus.

LEGAL.—A. Ashton Shorter, solr., has Removed to Ingliss-chambers, 244, Pitt-street, opposite School of Arts.

WANTED, two strong LADS—one ride and milk, one for farm. 211, Sussex-street.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.

TENDERS will be received until 4 p.m. on MONDAY, 7th instant, for supplying the following Bluestone—Kerbing 12 by 12, dressed and champhered, at per foot; Cube Setts, 12 x 18, average 4½ in thickness; Pitchers, 9 x 12; to be delivered at any place in Newtown.

Any further information may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

JESSE COWLEY,
Council Clerk.

Town Hall, Newtown,
June 4, 1886.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.

TENDERS will be received until 6 p.m. on TUESDAY, 15th instant, for Stonework required at Bridge in Church-street.

Plans and specification can be inspected at Council-chambers, Liverpool-road, during office hours on Tuesdays, Thursdays, or Saturdays.

THOS. GLASSOP, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, 4th June, 1886.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.

TENDERS are invited till TUESDAY, the 15th instant, for Erecting a Stone Wall and Brick Culvert in Walker-street. Specifications and plans to be seen at East St. Leonards Town Hall.

PERCY A. TEMPLE,
Council Clerk.

June 4, 1886.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.

TENDERS will be received up till 8 p.m. on TUESDAY, 8th instant, for constructing a culvert in Cascade-street.

Plan and specification to be seen upon application to the undersigned.

GEO. E. BLACKMORE,
Council-clerk.

Council Chambers, June 1, 1886.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LICHHARDT.

TENDERS will be received until SATURDAY, the 12th instant, at 12 o'clock noon, for the Ballasting and Metalling of Day-street.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Council-chambers during office hours.

The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Day-street."

ALLEN M'GUIRE,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Leichhardt,
June 2, 1886.

PLUMBERS, PLASTERERS.—TENDERS 2 Cottages, Carlton Estate, Kogarah, near Webber's-road

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF AH WAY, of Queanbeyan, General Storekeeper.

TENDERS are invited till the 10th instant for the purchase of the following Assets:—

LOT 1—STOCK-IN-TRADE.

DRAPERY—		
Prints, dresses, and Manchester	£124 12 8	
Clothing, hats, shirts, and mercery	295 17 10	
Fancy millinery, &c.	75 19 2	
Underclothing	34 0 2	
Hosiery, gloves, and haberdashery	60 4 3	
		£590 14 1
Grocery		42 6 5
Crockery and ironmongery		49 8 5
Boots and shoes		129 10 9
Working plant		16 19 0
		£828 18 8

LOT 2—BOOK DEBTS.

Due by Europeans	£229 11 2	
Due by Chinese	577 0 9	
		806 11 11
		£1635 10 7

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F. WEBSTER, Secretary.

2nd June, 1886.

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SOUTH-EAST WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and situation of Property.	Assessed Value.
77	Miller, Robert	Land, Darling-st.	£14 0 0
86	Anderson, John	Land, ditto	200 0 0
108	Turner, W. E.	Land, ditto	25 0 0
210	Phelps	Land, William-st.	5 0 0
211	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
212	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
213	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
214	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
215	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
216	Chaseling, Mrs.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
333	Owner	Land, Broadside-st.	20 0 0
568	Wright, M. A., Mrs.	Land, Bradford-st.	5 0 0
577½	Kelly, John	Land, ditto	5 0 0
610	Forrest's Estate	Land, Darvall-st.	5 0 0
622	Greentree, John	Land, Sorrie-street	5 0 0
636	M'Kenzie, Donald	Land, Palmer-st.	5 0 0
643½	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
671	Davies, E. C.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
743½	Edwards, J.	Land, Rosebery-pl.	5 0 0

NORTH-EAST WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and situation of Property.	Assessed Value.
38, 48	Kingscote, W. A.	Land, Darling-st.	11 0 0
41	Monk, Joseph	Land, ditto	4 0 0
42 to 45	Scott, Arthur	Land, ditto	16 0 0
46, 47	Fallick, R., Mrs.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
51	Farris, J. W.	Land, ditto	3 10 0
56	Corlett, James	Land, ditto	3 0 0
60 & 61	Taylor, Samuel	Land, ditto	6 0 0
62	Nash, Mary	Land, ditto	3 0 0
72 & 71	Rowe, Richard	Land, ditto	8 0 0
75	M'Kenzie, Roderick	Land, ditto	4 0 0
76	M'Monies, David	Land, ditto	4 0 0
84	Grantham, F. W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
86	Curran, James	Land, ditto	3 0 0
165	Conway, John	Land, College-st.	5 0 0
230 231 232	Bond, J.	Land, Mort-street	15 0 0
233 234 235	Bond, C.	Land, ditto	15 0 0
270	York, J. C.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
349	Davey, Emily	Land, ditto	4 0 0
350 351	Wright, W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
352	Lawson, T. J.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
364	Sobyn, N.	Land, Thames-st.	5 0 0
66, 366	Connor, T.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
367	Thompson, George	Land, ditto	5 0 0
368 369	Curphy, W.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
370	Smith, Sarah	Land, ditto	5 0 0
381	Smith, William	Land, Curtis-road	5 0 0
392	Christie, Thomas	Land, ditto	3 0 0
403	Holmes, Mrs.	Land, ditto	9 0 0
418	Wisebeart, Mrs.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
430	Ruddle, James	Land, ditto	5 0 0
633	Dowling, Thomas	Land, Duke-street	5 0 0

SOUTH-WEST WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and situation of Property.	Assessed Value.
41, 40	Paskin, H.	Land, Darling-street	38 0 0
80	Lown, A. T.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
82	Owner	Land, ditto	8 0 0
83	Owner	Land, ditto	8 0 0
90 to 94	Weston, Miss	Land, ditto	40 0 0
97, 115	Slade, W.	Land, ditto	250 0 0
110½	Baker, David	Land, ditto	5 0 0
227	Cotton, Mrs.	Land, Theodore-st.	6 0 0
249	Brown, J	Land, Jaques-street	4 0 0
283	Owner	Land, Walter-lane	5 0 0
284	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
311	Arthur, W.	Land, Elliott-street	4 0 0
332	Norquay, W.	Land, Isabella-street	5 0 0
333	Blackwood, W.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
355	Lawson, C.	Land, Lawson-street	4 0 0
440	Sinclair, Wm.	Land, Harris-street	14 0 0
445	Ivers, Charles	Land, ditto	4 0 0
448 449	Tyas, Wilson	Land, ditto	8 0 0
582	Edwards, Mrs.	Land, Beattie-street	12 0 0
542	Mulleus, D.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
569	Atcheson, John	Land, ditto	7 0 0
575	M'Namara, Mrs.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
627	Day, Wm.	Land, Mullens-street	6 0 0
692	White, Wm.	Land, ditto	50 0 0
705	Davies, F. N.	Land, ditto	30 0 0
708 to 711	Owner	Land, ditto	18 0 0
726	Craig, John	Land, ditto	8 0 0
777½	Browne, John	Land, Pashley-street	4 0 0
904	Wilson, J.	Land, Ennis-street	6 0 0
1006	Smith, Mrs.	Land, Batty-street	6 0 0
1031	M'Kay	Land, Clifton-street	12 0 0
1039	Smith, Mrs.	Land, Rumsay-st.	6 0 0
1046 1047	Owner	Land, Smith-street	0 0 0
1088	Owner	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1116	Daniels Levi	Land, Rosser-street	7 0 0
1140	Owner	Land, ditto	10 0 0
1205	Callaghan, W.	Land, Mansfield-st	4 0 0
1256	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1280	Dolan, M.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1283	Davis, W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1298	Palmer, Edward	Land, Moore-street	5 0 0
1300	Johnson, A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1301	Chapman, W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1311	Gallagher, D.	Land, Pine-street	5 0 0
1332	M'Millan, Jas.	Land, Crescent-st.	12 0 0
1342	Battle	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1347	Williams	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1348	Owner	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1349	Brierly	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1354	Hobbs, H. J.	Land, ditto	10 0 0
1388	Hoey, J.	Land, ditto	15 0 0
1415	Hoey, J.	Land, Parsons-street	4 0 0
1416	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1417	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1439	Childs, Chas.	Land, Hanover-st.	4 0 0
1455	O'Connell, D.	Land, Murdock-st.	6 0 0
1456	Batton, Henry	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1475	Olsen, P.	Land, Goodsir-street	4 0 0
1490½	Cronin	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1490¾	Pinkerton	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1538	Owner	Land, Evans-street	4 0 0
1552	Davis, W. D.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1562	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1568	Deveridge	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1588	Coghlan	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1591	Bullen, J.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1598	Johnson, C.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1606	O'Hara, James	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1610	Hounsell, Thomas	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1619	Satterley, H.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1624	Green, W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1626	Quinn, J.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1629	Guldar	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1659	Walford, Mrs.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1679	Fordham, A. B.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1695-6 1697	Davidson and Compy.	Land, Rosebery-st.	12 0 0
1739	O'Meally	Land, Clare-street	4 0 0
1812	Corcoran	Land, Nelson-street	4 0 0
1813	Nicholls, E.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1858	Gordon, R.	Land, Merton-street	4 0 0
1874	Brine, W.	Land, Napoleon-st.	4 0 0
1878	M'Allister, D. M.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1894½	Owner	Land, Conlon-street	4 0 0
1903	Owner	Land, Prosper-street	4 0 0
1904	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1911	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1933	Williams, J.	Land, M'Kenzie-st.	6 0 0
1978	Owner	Land, Starling-street	3 0 0
1979	Owner	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1980	Owner	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1981	Owner	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1982	Engle, Mrs.	Land, ditto	12 0 0
2008	Williams, J.	Land, Weston-street	5 0 0
2009	Brierly	Land, ditto	5 0 0
2030	Archibald, G.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2031	Woods	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2035	Harper	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2045-6 2047	Owner	Land, ditto	15 0 0
2087	Olsen, A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2103-4	Campbell, James	Land, ditto	12 0 0
2108	Owner	Land, ditto	9 0 0
2148- 49-54- 55-56	Hoolahan, Wm.	Land, Victoria-st.	15 0 0
2158	Henderson	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2159 2162	Owner	Land, ditto	7 0 0
2172 2171 2170	Owner	Land, ditto	12 0 0
2175	Quinn, Jas.	Land, Hornsey-st.	5 0 0
2183- 84-85	Hughes, John	Land, ditto	9 0 0
2186	Johnson	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2187	Ledger, John	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2189	Carroll, Thomas	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2193	Harper	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2203 2218	Owner	Land, ditto	7 0 0
2220	Elliott, Thomas	Land, Gordon-street	10 0 0
2239	Odgen, Peter	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2240	Jeffries, W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2260 2267 2268	Moran, John	Land, Prince-street	10 0 0
2271	Wallbrook, H.	Land, Elizabeth-st.	6 0 0
2283	Rickards, Mrs.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2284	Rickards, J.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2292 93	Murphy, P.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2300	Lindeman, E.	Land, Charlotte-st.	3 0 0
2305	Arundel, J.	Land, Catherine-st.	4 0 0
2306	Knowles, W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2307	Munsell, Mrs.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2336	Powell, John	Land, Withcombe-st.	3 0 0
2372	Baker, Mrs.	Land, Lemore-st.	6 0 0
2378	Holden, P.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2392	Owner	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2409	Gilford, G.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2412	Davis, G. P.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2441	Moore, W.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2442	Williams, Mrs.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
[illegible]	Nicholls, H.	Land, Percy-street	3 0 0
[illegible]	Williams, H.	Land, Denison-st.	3 0 0
[illegible]	Warner, L.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2504	Megson, J	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2508	Martin, E.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2520	Bernheim, T. G.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2530	Henry, J. N.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2537	Duggan, J.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2538	Hurley, J.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2539	M'Kinlay, B.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2540	Ferguson	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2544- 45-46	Clegg, M.	Land, ditto	9 0 0
2547	Baker, T.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2554	Hallinan	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2561	W. H. King	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2589	Smith, M.	Land, Cook-street	2 0 0
2591	Byrne, G.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2594	Green, W.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2601	Roach, John	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2603	M'Namara, B.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2604	Lahy, W.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2612 2615	Brown, C.	Land, Cheltenham-street	6 0 0
2620	Stafford, L.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2626 2627	Brignell, J.	Land, Riley-street	4 0 0
2629	Browning, W.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2642	Stone, W.	Land, Hutcheson-st.	2 0 0
2652	Burns, Mrs.	Land, Foucart-street	2 0 0
2671	Henry, Thomas	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2674	Fletcher, W.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2687	Murray, James	Land, ditto	4 0 0

SOUTH-WEST WARD (continued).

No.	Name.	Description and situation of Property.	Assessed Value.
2691½	Campbell, Agnes	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2708	M'Crispin, G. W.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2709	Hurley, T.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2711	Murphy, John	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2721	Lindsay, Alex.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2722	Peters, E.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2723	Lengall, C.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2724	Smith, C.	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2739	Leake, William	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2745	Harrison, T.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2749	M'Namara	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2751	Hart, Charles	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2806	Miller, W.	Land, Abattoir-road	5 0 0

NORTH WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and situation of Property.	Assessed Value.
27	Fernley, M. J.	Land, Darling-st.	10 0 0
51 to 55	Waterhouse, H. B. M.	Land, ditto	35 0 0
62	Byrne	Land, ditto	6 0 0
72	Priestly J.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
77	Owner	Land, ditto	8 0 0
141 142	Kidd, Mrs.	Land, ditto	14 0 0
149 to 151½	Bliss, George	Land, ditto	20 0 0
195	Morrison	Land, Church-st.	5 0 0
237	M'Manus, Peter	Land, ditto	4 0 0
267	M'Carthy, Denis	Land, Phillip-st.	4 0 0
303 304	Smith, John	Land, ditto	8 0 0
290 to 311	Hughes, John	Land, ditto	24 0 0
331	Jones	Land, ditto	4 0 0
378 380	M'Grath, Peter	Land, Short-st.	7 0 0
397	Humphrey, John	Land, ditto	4 0 0
451	Jenkins, Wilson	Land, ditto	4 0 0
480	Thompson	Land, Rowntree-st.	5 0 0
481	Buckingham	Land, ditto	5 0 0
499½	Monchue, Phillip	Land, ditto	10 0 0
537	St. Aubyne	Land, ditto	5 0 0
584	Condon	Land, ditto	6 0 0
671 672	Taylor, J.	Land, Spring-street	11 0 0
700	Scott	Land, Bay-street	7 0 0
710	Courtoy	Land, ditto	4 0 0
767	Savary	Land, Ballast Point-road	6 0 0
781	Wayne, D.	Land, ditto	9 0 0
786	Blue, G. S.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
827	Imbray	Land, Wharf-road	8 0 0
855	Brown, Robert	Land, Grove-street	4 0 0
857 858	Edwards, M.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
919	Rugg, Thomas	Land, Ferdinand-st.	5 0 0
940	Page, Charles	Land, Louisa-road	5 0 0
968	Tinley, G. F.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1013	Brennan, J.	Land, Birchgrove-road	8 0 0
1027	Owner	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1028	Wilson, John	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1033	Brady	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1227	Carlbone	Land, Thomas-st.	5 0 0
1232	Whitehead, J. E.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1236	Smith, W.	Land, Gipps-street	5 0 0
1254	Condon	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1256	Ward	Land, ditto	9 0 0
1265	Higgins	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1266	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1267	Ferguson, Robert	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1268	Knowles, Robert	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1275	Vaughan	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1276	Simpson	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1281	Jackson, Mrs.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1395 1394	Aitken, John	Land, Glassop-st.	6 0 0
1396	Bolton, W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1409	Stephen, John	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1415	Stokes, G. F.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1425	Lynam, John	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1431	Saunders	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1433	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1438	Wilson, John	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1439	Curtis	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1443	Greenwood	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1452	M'Donough, M.	Land, Hampton-st.	5 0 0
1489	Dodd	Land, Carrieville-st.	3 0 0
1500	Chudley, Chas.	Land, Broderick-st.	4 0 0
1501	Chudley, Osborne	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1505	Clayton	Land, Longview-st.	10 0 0
1510	Greno, Mrs.	Land, ditto	15 0 0
1511	Harper	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1533	Harper	Land, Bayville-st.	4 0 0
1534	Banks, Miss	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1537	Higgins, T. W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1539	Henderson, F.	Land, Terry-street	6 0 0
1542	Thompson	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1544	Davis, P. A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1545	Chowney	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1551	Banks	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1552	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1563	Davis	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1565	Hoyle, Austin	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1618	Lewis, George	Land, Norman-st.	3 0 0
1619 1620	Weston	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1649	Davies, J. C.	Land, Nelson-street	7 0 0
1651	Ewens, E.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1674	Markey, S.	Land, Merton-street	4 0 0
1675	Scott, R.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1692	Mahon, P.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1708	White	Land, Hamilton-st.	6 0 0
1709	Korff, T.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1715	Scow, Wm.	Land, Wellington-st.	4 0 0
1719	Stephens, A.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1724	Moulton, G. A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1730	Howland, C. J.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1733	Bramberry	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1741	Bremner, D.	Land, Weston-street	7 0 0
1763	Dreeves, T.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1767	Russell, James	Land, ditto	12 0 0
1770	Sims, E.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1777	Perrett, J. A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1787	Scholey, R.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1791	Owner	Land, ditto	10 0 0
1809	Marshall, B.	Land, ditto	5 0 0
1815	Duggan, C.	Land, Crystal-street	8 0 0
1831	Franks, John	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1852	Thomas, W. G.	Land, Bridgew'r-st.	8 0 0
1862	McMahon	Land, Byrnes-street	3 0 0
1864 1867	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1879	Alexander, F.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1925 1926	Read	Land, Toelle-street	6 0 0
1934	Bolus, James	Land, Callan-street	3 0 0
1936 1951	Jeffreys, R. J.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1948 1953	Read, T. A.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1977	Read, T. A.	Land, Springside-st.	3 0 0
1946	Sheppard, F.	Land, Callan-street	7 0 0
1947	Guinary, A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1950	Owner	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1958	Hogg, E. C.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1974	Hogg, E. C.	Land, Springdale-st.	4 0 0
1961 1962	Davis, J.	Land, Callan-st.	6 0 0
1963 to 64-65	Bolane, J.	Land, ditto	9 0 0
1966	Davis, A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
1967	Graham	Land, Springside-st.	4 0 0
1970	Heggarty	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1973	Desman	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1975	Ryan, Patrick	Land, ditto	10 0 0
1979	Guining, A.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1981	Bell, E. J.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1982	Taylor, J.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1983	M'Lachlin, A.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1985	Bell, B.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1986	Holleyman, W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1987	Wood, W.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
1988	Gomerson	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1989	Banks, J. P.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1990 1991	Smith, J.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
1992	Brookman, Jas.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
1997	Brown, G.	Land, Moodie-st.	6 0 0
1995	Brown	Land, Springside-st.	6 0 0
1999	Boetha, W.	Land, Moodie-st.	3 0 0
2001 2002	Owner	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2003	Banks, F. T.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2011 2012	Owner	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2023	Gibson, W. B.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2030	Wilson, F.	Land, Waterloo-st	4 0 0
2041	Austin, John	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2043	Martin	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2044	Frances, G.	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2053	Downley	Land, ditto	9 0 0
2054	Price, S.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2059	Miles, R.	Land, Cambridge-st.	7 0 0
2060	Maher, Thos.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2061 2064	Watson, Andrew	Land, ditto	14 0 0
2071	Williams and Murphy	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2079	Owner	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2081	Dowling, J. C.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2082	Church, H	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2083	Tarleton, H.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2085	Stephens, Thos.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2086	Smith, E.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2093	Barber, E.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2108	Young, W.	Land, Oxford-street	4 0 0
2112	Amstead	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2113	M'Leiland, A.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2114	Smart, Mary A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2115	Hicks, L.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2120	Clarke, W. A.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2121	Wilson, J.	Land, Park-street	4 0 0
2125	Hemington, J.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2127	Francis, Chas.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2137	Key, J. D.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2138	Ward, S.	Land, ditto	8 0 0
2139	Westonberg	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2144	Bliss, Louisa	Land, Manning-st.	4 0 0
2145	Davis, Mary	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2146	Christenson, A.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2147 to 2150	Davis, C.	Land, ditto	14 0 0
2153 2154	Owner	Land, ditto	6 0 0
2156	Davis	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2157	Stevens, G.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2158	Stevens	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2160	Monks, N. O.	Land, ditto	3 0 0
2161	Bliss, George	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2162 2163	Betton, Hy.	Land, Margaret-st.	4 0 0
2165 &c.	Eichman	Land, ditto	36 0 0
2168 2169	Thompson, J.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2174 2175	Mitchell, D.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2176 2177	Johnson, W.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2178	Patrick, George	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2180	Kewley, John	Land, ditto	2 0 0
2181 2182	Martin, C. H.	Land, ditto	4 0 0
2187 to 2191	Jones, W.	Land, ditto	10 0 0

NOTICE is also hereby given that a Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Police Court, Town Hall, Darling-street, Balmain, on MONDAY, the 21st June, at 10 o'clock a.m., to which any person feeling aggrieved by the above assessment can appeal on giving not less than seven days' notice to the Council, in writing, of his intention to appeal.

H. B. MACINTOSH,
Council Clerk.

Town Hall, Darling-street,
June 3, 1886.

BOROUGH OF BURWOOD.

NOTICE is hereby given that WENTWORTH-ROAD (between Hornsey-street and Nicholson-street) will be CLOSED for repairs until further orders.

W. REDFEARN,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Burwood,
4th June, 1886

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WEST BOTANY.

To the owners of the undermentioned Properties.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Properties hereunder set forth have been assessed by the Council of this Municipality under the provision and for the purposes mentioned in section 164 of the Municipalities Act of 1867, and that a Rate of One Shilling in the pound (£) upon the assessed value thereof has been levied by the said Council.

ARNCLIFFE WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and Situation of Property.	Assessed Value.	Amount of Rate.
186	H. M. Mills	Land, Station-street	£7 0 0	£0 7 0
221	Hamilton White	Land (6 acres), Arncliff-street	60 0 0	3 0 0
222	Ditto	Cottage and Land, ditto	30 0 0	1 10 0
317	Geo. Shute	Land, Illawarra-street	4 0 0	0 4 0
568	S. H. May	Land, Grandview Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0

WEST BOTANY WARD.

No.	Name.	Description and Situation of Property.	Assessed Value.	Amount of Rate.
76	W. Williamson	Sec. 3, lot 21, land, Innesdale Heights	3 0 0	0 3 0
78	C. J. Clephane	Sec. 3, lot 23, land, Innesdale Heights	3 0 0	0 3 0
115	A. Richardson	Sec. 2, lot 14, land, Innesdale Heights	4 0 0	0 4 0
215	Wm. Meyer	Sec. 2, lot 15, land, New Brighton	7 0 0	0 7 0
280	G. and J. Basting	Sec. 4, lot 26, land, New Brighton	5 0 0	0 5 0
351	M. M. Hodges	Sec. 2, lots 14, 16, 17, land, Wolsley Estate	15 0 0	0 15 0
352	F. Cooper	Sec. 2, lot 15, land, Wolsley Estate	5 0 0	0 5 0
735	J. Caves	Sec. 3, lots 33 and 34, land Rockdale Estate	8 0 0	0 8 0
803	R. Kirkland	Sec 10, lot 2, land, Rockdale Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1068	J. Gelder	Sec. 1, lots 7 and 8, land, Filey Estate	5 0 0	0 5 0
1069	H. J. West	Sec. 2, lot 9, land, Filey Estate	2 10 0	0 2 6
1083	A. Newton	Sec. 1, lot 8, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1085	Catherine Carter	Sec. 1, lots 12, 29, 30, land, Filey Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1086	Philip Barron	Sec. 1, lots 13, 14, 15, land, Filey Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1089	J. G. Boyle	Sec. 1, lots 23, 24, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1092	Albt. Patten	Sec. 1, lot 36, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1095	Wm. Keogh	Sec. 1, lot 43, land, Filey Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1096	A. M'Grath	Sec. 1, lots 44, 45, 46, land, Filey Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1105	Llewell'n Ambler	Sec. 3, lot 3, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1107	G. Mack, sen.	Sec. 3, lot 6, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1110	C. Charlson	Sec. 3, lot 10, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1111	C. Crawes	Secs. 3, lots 11, 32, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1113	Geo. Paul	Sec. 3, lots 13 and 14, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1120	Emile Jurische	Sec. 3, lot 30, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1125	— Lamphet	Sec. 3, lot 40, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1128	Albt. Patten	Sec. 4, lots 3, 4, 5, land, Filey Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1129	W. Davies	Sec. 4, lot 6, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1133	Wm. Howarth	Sec. 4, lot 14, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1138	Thos. Flood	Sec. 5, lot 1, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1144	Thos. Minton	Sec. 5, lots 10, 11, 12, land, Filey Estate	4 0 0	0 4 0
1148	Wm. Pithen	Sec. 5, lot 17, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1150	H. Buckley	Sec. 5, lot 19, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1151	N. Wheeler	Sec. 5, lot 20, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1154	John Connors	Sec. 5, lot 24, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1161	W. Boag	Sec. 5, lot 33, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1162	W. H. King	Sec. 5, lots 34, 84, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1170	J. Phillips	Sec. 6, lots 55, 56, land, Filey Estate	3 0 0	0 3 0
1175	Chas. Swanson	Sec. 6, lot 62, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1181	J. S. Brain	Sec. 6, lot 71, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1184	J. Dooley	Sec. 6, lot 80, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1190	J. Ashdown	Sec. 6, lot 96, land, Filey Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1269	Thos. Minton	Sec. 1, lots 1 and 36, land, Hastings Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1272	A. Ainsley	Sec. 1, lots 5, 6, 7, land, Hastings Estate	6 0 0	0 6 0
1277	W. H. King	Sec. 1, lots 14, 15, land, Hastings Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1283	J. M'Lenaglad	Sec. 1, lots 25, 31, land, Hastings Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1286	W. Suggate	Sec. 1, lot 30, land, Hastings Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1289	W. H. King	Sec. 2, lots 42, 45, land, Hastings Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1290	J. W. Gaite	Sec. 2, lots 37, 38, land, Hastings Estate	2 0 0	0 2 0
1296	G. Bishop	Sec. 2, lot 49, land, Hastings Estate	1 10 0	0 1 6
1302	Emily Rossiter	Sec. 2, lot 4, land, Burlington	4 0 0	0 4 0
1313	J. Hodges	Sec. 2, lot 21, land, Burlington	2 10 0	0 2 6
1316	E. Bissett	Sec. 2, lot 26, land, Burlington	2 10 0	0 2 6
1317	F. Daly	Sec. 2, lot 27, land, Burlington	2 10 0	0 2 6
1332	S. Gray	Sec. 3, lots 14, 15, land, Burlington	5 0 0	0 5 0
1340	M. A. Hodges	Sec. 3, lots 25, 26, land, Burlington	5 0 0	0 5 0
1365	J. Davis	Sec. 5, lot 12, land, Burlington	2 10 0	0 2 6
1369	J. Hodges	Sec. 6, lots 8, 9, land, Burlington	5 0 0	0 5 0
1412	Owner	Sec. 1, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, land, South Scarboro	12 0 0	0 12 0
1433	P. Sullivan	Sec. 4, lot 2, land, South Scarboro	3 0 0	0 3 0
1440	P. Sullivan	Sec. 5, lot 18, land, South Scarboro	3 0 0	0 3 0

THOS. LEEDER,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, West Botany,
7th June, 1886.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WEST BOTANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that AN ASSESSMENT upon all rateable property within this Municipality has been made by the Council thereof, and that a rate of ONE SHILLING in the pound for the current Municipal year upon the assessed value of such property has been ordered by the Council: AND FURTHER, that such rate is payable at the Council-chambers, Rocky Point-road, West Botany, during the usual office hours, viz., on every alternate THURSDAY, from 7 to 8 p.m.

Also, that a Court of Petty Sessions will be holden on SATURDAY, the 26th day of June instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Police Court, Newtown, to which any person feeling aggrieved by any such assessment can appeal, by giving at LEAST SEVEN DAYS' previous notice to the Council of his or her intention so to do.

THOS. LEEDER,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, West Botany,
7th June, 1886.

MUNICIPALITY OF WEST BOTANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Petty Sessions will be holden on SATURDAY, the 26th day June instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Police Court, Newtown, for the purpose of hearing Appeals against the Assessment for the current municipal year. Notice of Appeal must be given to the Council in writing SEVEN DAYS AT LEAST before the holding of such Court.

THOS. LEEDER,
Council Clerk.

Council Chambers, West Botany,
7th June, 1886.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

MONEY to LEND in large or small sums, on the security of approved Freehold and Station Properties.
H. E. RUSSELL, Tattersall's-chambers,
corner of Hunter and Castlereagh streets.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

Offices—171, York-street.
Deposits received to any extent.
Highest current rates allowed.

WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

WE CAN always arrange Loans for our CLIENTS, on City or Suburban Properties, at legitimate rates of interest.
WILLIAMS and CO.,
80a, Pitt-street.

THE EXCELSIOR LAND, INVESTMENT, AND BUILDING COMPANY AND BANK, Limited.

Established 1880.

Subscribed Capital, £124,520. Paid up, £57,960.
Reserve Fund, £30,000.

Deposits received to any extent at following rates:—

Fixed for 12 months	7 per cent.
Ditto 6 months	6 per cent.
On demand	5 per cent.

WILLIAM JARRETT,
Manager.

Offices—171, York-street, Sydney.

CLIVE, SMITH, and CAMPBELL,
Stock and Share Brokers and Financial Agents,
75, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Money to Lend on city property. Shares purchased at current rates.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE OF FREEHOLD are granted, payable at the end of a fixed term of years, or redeemable by instalments, including principal and interest, under the Society's TABLE F.

Forms of application, and tables of repayment, obtainable at the Head Office of the Society, 87, Pitt-street, Sydney.

By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, Secretary.

TO LEND, £5 to £500, personal security, repayable by instalments. J. G. Read, M'Coy's-chambers, 10, Park-st.

MONEY TO LEND.—We have various sums from £1000 up to £15,000 to LEND on City and Suburban Property, at low rates.
JONES and BLACK, Bond-street.

THE ADVERTISER, having a considerable capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of securities, without the necessity of a bill of sale, or any publicity whatever.

Will also arrange to guarantee the discount accounts of merchants or traders, or will DISCOUNT their trade bills at slight advances on BANK RATES.

All communications strictly private. Confidence, Box 293, General Post Office.

THE SHINING LIGHT of Australia is the Petroline Candle. 6½d per lb. J. Kidman.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

CAPITAL: £100,000,
Reserve Fund, £40,000.

Head Offices:
309, PITT-STREET,
SYDNEY.

Branch Offices:
AUBURN-STREET,
GOULBURN.

Deposits received to any extent, and interest allowed thereon at the following rates:—

5 PER CENT. PER ANNUM AT CALL
6 PER CENT. PER ANNUM AT 6 MONTHS,

with right to withdraw the whole or any portion at any time, with interest at the current rate for period of deposit.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Fixed Deposits for TWELVE MONTHS receive Interest at the RATE OF SEVEN PER CENT. per annum, and participation in the profits, in the shape of a BONUS at maturity.

EXTRACT FROM LAST REPORT.

Your Directors, in submitting their statement for the past year have pleasure in reporting a steady increase in every branch of the Company's business, as evidenced by the following comparison:—

—	1883.	1884.	1885.
Total receipts	£61,317 13 5	£150,208 7 10	£330,318 4 11
Money on deposit	40,492 4 11	90,063 15 5	285,021 15 7
Repayment of loans and deposits and instalments on land	11,967 4 0	29,683 6 9	41,160 11 1
Balances to credit of depositors	23,608 14 5	53,814 17 11	200,066 4 8
Landbuyers bal'nces	31,312 15 4	85,503 17 6	141,390 5 11
Land purchased by company	24,427 1 9	45,458 5 7	98,275 4 0
Unsold land at cost price	7,512 6 2	35,968 2 5	86,860 10 7
Advances made by company for purposes of building	13,643 16 11	30,657 8 3	54,368 3 5

The net profits for the year, after deducting all expenses, amounted to £13,931 19s 2d, from which deduct interim dividend to June 30th last, £2500, leaving a balance of £11,431 19s 2d, which your directors purpose to appropriate as follows:—

To payment of dividend to shareholders, 25 per cent per annum	£2,500 0 0
To payment of bonus to depositors, 1½ per cent. per annum To payment of bonus to borrowers, 2 per cent. per annum To payment of dividend to land buyers, 8 per cent. per annum	2,015 11 4
Amount transferred to reserve fund	5,000 0 0
Leaving a balance to credit of profit and loss of	1,916 7 10
	£11,431 19 2

H. G. SWYNY,
Managing Director.

MONEY to LEND, upon mortgage, in sums from £200 to £50,000, upon leasehold and freehold property in the city and suburbs, and upon good country property, farms, and orchards, at 6 and 7 per cent., for any term.

PROPERTIES released from BUILDING SOCIETIES, and the same amount lent for any term at 6 and 7 per cent.

In addition to having at the present time large sums for MORTGAGE purposes, I am prepared to make liberal advances upon MERCHANDISE, BONDED CERTIFICATES, plant, machinery, and other sound securities, at current rates.

Bills discounted Monday and Thursday.
Several sums available at 6 per cent.

HARRY C. ELDERTON,
13, Pomeroy-chambers, Castlereagh-street.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY.—From £5 to £50,000 Lent on Furniture (without possession), personal and other classes of security. Money lent on deeds, without charge for Mortgage fees. Borrowers receive full amount asked for. Apply HEARTS OF OAK COMPANY, 288, Crown-street, near Oxford-street.

MONEY for Investment in sums from £5000 to £30 000, on city and suburban freehold properties, at current rates of interest. ALFRED DE LISSA, Solicitor, 313, George-street.

BETTER THAN BANK INTEREST.

Invest in Claremont Land Co., Perth.

Large Profits Anticipated.

Intending shareholders should apply early for shares, and not wait until company is floated, and then buy at a premium. No risk of losing, and large profits almost certain. Send for prospectus.

Only 65 shares at £50 each to be disposed of.

ALREADY ABOUT HALF TAKEN UP.

Provisional Committee:
John Sutherland, Esq., M.P.
J. Shepherd, Esq., M.P.
J. S. Hawthorne, Esq., M.P.
Dr. Bestie
W. Henderson, Esq., J.P.

Shares payable as follows:—
£10 on application, £10 on allotment, and balance as required.

Brokers:
T. R. and S. SMITH,
120a, Elizabeth-street, near King-street, Sydney.

THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

96, BATHURST-STREET.

Authorised Capital	£500,000
Subscribed Capital	£60,000

HEAD OFFICES, 96, Bathurst-street, near George-street.
Registered under the Companies Act.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED
for Fixed Deposits:
12 months, 7½ per cent.; 6 months, 6½ per cent.; 3 months, 5 per cent.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT:
5 per cent. per annum upon the daily balance, withdrawable at any time without notice.

W. H. WESTGARTH,
Manager.

All communications to be addressed to the Manager.

THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Established 1880.

Offices—CORN EXCHANGE, HAYMARKET.

Limited Capital	£100,000
Paid up ditto	50,000
	£50,000
Reserve Fund	25,000
Total Reserves	£75,000

DIRECTORS:
J. T. TILLOCK, Esq., Chairman.
Thomas Saywell, Esq. | William Pritchard, Esq.
G. H. Lovett, Esq. | Simeon Brown, Esq.
George Wells, Esq., J.P.

SAVINGS BANK OPEN DAILY.

No notice required for withdrawals.

FIXED DEPOSITS received at highest current rates of interest.

The attention of DEPOSITORS is directed to the RESOURCES and RESERVES of this Company, the whole of its funds being judiciously invested in good freehold properties or advanced upon MORTGAGES of UNDOUBTED SECURITY.

In addition to the ordinary rate of interest a SPECIAL BONUS of 1 per cent for the past half-year has been declared upon all deposits fixed for 12 months, so that DEPOSITORS SHARE in the PROFITS, without incurring any liability.

A perusal of the recent balance-sheet will demonstrate that the Haymarket Company offers to depositors the greatest possible advantages consistent with PERFECT SECURITY.

All further information and copies of last balance-sheet may be obtained at the Company's offices, Corn Exchange, Haymarket.

J. W. DUESBURY,
Manager.

METROPOLITAN MUTUAL PERMANENT, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited,

65, Market-street, Sydney,
between Pitt and Castlereagh streets.

Registered capital, £150,000.
Paid-up capital, £100,000.
Reserve fund, £10,000.

Directors:
Alexander Thomson, Esq., chairman.
Henry Dean Esq. | J. B. Elphinstone, Esq.
John Hardie, Esq. | W. A. Hutchinson, Esq.
Humphrey Richardson, Esq.

SHARES can be obtained on application, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, besides annual bonus. The Association has paid its members 10½ per cent. per annum since its commencement.

MONEY received on FIXED DEPOSIT at highest current rates of interest.

MONEY received PAYABLE AT CALL, bearing interest at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

ENDOWMENT POLICIES issued up to £1000, payable in 5 or 10 years, participating in profits at exceptionally low rates of premium.

SAVINGS BANK.—Deposits of 5s and upwards received, bearing interest at rate of 5 per cent. per annum on daily balance, repayable without notice.

LIBERAL ADVANCES to build or purchase freehold or leasehold properties at moderate rates of interest.

ROBERT W. CONWAY,
Manager.

MONEY LENT WITHOUT DELAY, WITHOUT PUBLICITY.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, and DISCOUNT COMPANY,
62, ROYAL ARCADE, first floor, PITT-STREET,
staircase entrance.
CAPITAL, £100,000.

ADVANCES made without deduction or preliminary expenses on MERCHANDISE, BILLS OF LADING, MACHINERY, CATTLE, and STOCK MORTGAGES, LEASE, or FREEHOLDS, in SMALL or LARGE amounts, at Banking rates.

TRADE BILLS discounted DAILY without delay.
REVERSIONARY interests, LEGACIES, EUROPEAN REMITTANCES advanced on.

Country communications promptly attended to.

Address, as above,
62, Royal Arcade, first floor,
Pitt-street staircase entrance.

MONEY TO LEND UPON MORTGAGE, in sums from £100 to £30,000, upon CITY, SUBURBS, and COUNTRY properties, FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD, at 6 and 7 per cent., for 3, 5, or 7 years. Properties released from building societies, and the same amount lent at 6 and 7 per cent. for 3 to 7 years. Progress payments advanced as the work proceeds. Persons purchasing properties receive two-thirds of the value. Cash advanced on pro. notes. and other security.

HAROLD BREES,
54, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

SYDNEY PERMANENT Paid-ups for SALE, 7 only. Henry French, 87, Oxford-street.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

Office—Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street.

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Subscribed Capital	62,500
Paid-up Capital	42,500
Reserve Fund	16,500

DIRECTORS:
W. S. BUZACOTT, Esq., J.P., Chairman | J. THOMPSON, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman
JOHN CALLAGHAN, Esq., J.P. | R. L. MURRAY, Esq.
DAVID MACKAY, Esq., J.P. | JAMES WARD, Esq.

BANKERS:
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank.

DEPOSITS:
Received for 12 months, 7 per cent.
" 6 " 6 "
" at call " 5 "

Interest on FIXED DEPOSITS paid half-yearly.

Deposits at CALL can be withdrawn with accrued interest on the daily balances, at any time and for any amount, at 24 hours' notice.

ADVANCES
made to the public for Building Purposes at current rates.

S. H. LEWIS,
Manager.

THE REAL AND PERSONAL MORTGAGE AND ADVANCE COMPANY,

FIRST FLOOR, 16, OXFORD-STREET,
opposite Brisbane-street.

ADVANCES from £10 to £1000 made on the following security, viz.:—

BILLS OF SALE, PROMISSORY NOTES, MORTGAGE SECOND MORTGAGE, DEPOSIT of DEEDS (either LEASEHOLD or FREEHOLD), REVERSIONARY INTEREST, &c., at an Exceptionally Low Rate of Repayments, as follow:—

LOAN of £100, repayable by weekly instalments of	10s 6d
£50 " " "	6s 0d
£30 " " "	4s 0d
£20 " " "	3s 0d
£10 " " "	2s 6d.

Monthly or quarterly payments may be arranged.
Strictest privacy may be relied on.
Office hours: 9 to 5 daily, and in the evening on Mondays from 7 to 9.

NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT, LAND and BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

Head Offices—Y. M. C. A. Buildings, 100, Bathurst-street.
Branch Office—78, King-street (upstairs), Sydney.

Trustees:
Hon. JOHN MACINTOSH, M.L.C.; SYDNEY BURDEKIN, Esq., M.L.A.; ALFRED STOKES, Esq., M.L.A.

Directors:
W. A. ANDERSON, W. B. COLE, A. LEIFERMANN, THOMAS REDMOND, J. D. GRUMMANT, C. A. FOGARTY.

Solicitor:
T. M. WILLIAMSON, Esq., M.L.A.

Brokers:
Messrs. MARTIN and HAMILTON, 122a, Elizabeth-street.

CAPITAL—£500,000, in 500,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.

1s per share on application, 2s per share on allotment, balance in calls not exceeding 1s per share per month (if required).

THE COMPANY'S DEPOSIT BANK.
RATES OF INTEREST FOR DEPOSITS:

Three months	5 per cent.
Six months	6 per cent.
Twelve months	7½ per cent.

DEPOSIT BANK and OFFICES, in addition to ordinary office hours, are open Saturdays and Mondays, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

J. W. SMYTHE, Secretary.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE and LAND COMPANY, Limited.

CAPITAL—£500,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £250,000.
RESERVE FUND, £40,000.

HEAD OFFICE: 165, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Directors:
HENRY GORMAN, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
F. A. WRIGHT, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman.
BENJAMIN JAMES, Esq.
C. C. SKARRATT, Esq., J.P.
J. H. NEWMAN, Esq., J.P.
W. J. TRICKETT, Esq., M.P.

Bankers:
UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY:
To receive money on deposit.
To make advances on freehold and leasehold securities.
To invest in freehold and leasehold property.
Money received on deposit to any amount.

RATES OF INTEREST:
Deposits at call, without notice, 5 per cent.
Deposits at 3 months, 5½ per cent.
Deposits at 6 months, 6 per cent.
Deposits at 12 months, 7 per cent.
(Interest paid half-yearly.)

CURRENT ACCOUNTS BEARING INTEREST.

Current or drawing accounts are also opened with trading firms and private persons, according to the usual practice of bankers, but with the important exception that interest is allowed on the daily balance at the rate of FIVE PER CENT. per annum.

These accounts are operated on by cheque-books, obtainable at the Office of the Company.

TO DEPOSITORS.—The Company offer the very best security, as, in addition to having its capital increased from time to time, and uncalled liability of shareholders to the amount of £300,000 (which in this company is a wealthy proprietary), the whole of the funds of the Company are invested in, or lent upon, city and suburban freehold and leasehold properties, which undoubtedly form the most stable of all investments.

WILLIAM CLARKE, Manager.

ADVANCES

on
FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.
The Undersigned are authorised
by the
SCOTTISH AMICABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY
to make
LIBERAL ADVANCES
on
FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO.

THE IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.

Head Office—122, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

CAPITAL:
£50,000, with power to increase to £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
WILLIAM BYRNES, Esq., Chairman
Alderman WILLIAM MARTIN, J.P., Mayor
Alderman A. C. HEWLETT
CYRUS E. FULLER, Esq.
W. G. CAMERON, Esq.
HENRY WALKER, Esq.

The objects of this Company are to receive money on deposit, to make advances to the public on freehold and leasehold properties, the purchase of land, and the erection of buildings thereon.

The advantages offered are greater than any other Building Society in Sydney.

TO DEPOSITORS.

Deposits received in amounts, and interest allowed thereon at the following rates:—

5½ per cent. per annum at call
6½ per cent. per annum at 6 months
7½ per cent. per annum at 12 months.

TO BORROWERS.

No entrance fees or fines.
Interest only charged from date of advances.
Loans may be repaid at any time, with interest to date.
Borrowers participate in the profits.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.
Sums from £1 and upwards received, and interest allowed.

NO NOTICE REQUIRED FOR WITHDRAWAL.

Shares and full particulars on application to
WILLIAM P. SMAIRL,
Manager.

LONDON MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT BANK,

109, ELIZABETH-STREET (next High School),
Oldest established Office in the colonies.

ADVANCES promptly made upon Bills of Sale (without possession), the security of one or two householders, Freehold and Leasehold Properties (without expense of mortgage), Legacies, and all available securities.

Bills discounted daily, at lowest rates.
All communications and interviews strictly CONFIDENTIAL.
Forms gratis. Address—The Secretary. Office hours, 9 to 6 p.m.; Saturday and Monday evenings, 6 to 8.

NEW SOUTH WALES MONT DE PIETE DEPOSIT and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited,

102, 104, and 106, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

DIRECTORS:
The Hon. S. H. Terry, M.L.C., Chairman.
A. H. M'Culloch, Esq., M.L.A. | Thos. F. Thompson, Esq., J.P.
Samuel Payten, Esq. | Edwin Chisholm, Esq., M.D.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £50,000.

Interest is allowed on Fixed Deposits as under:—

12 months	7½ per cent.
6 "	6½ "
3 "	6 "
Call	5 "

LEWIS LEVY, Manager.

BRITISH MORTGAGE, LOAN, and DISCOUNT COMPANY.

Capital £20,000.
194½ ELIZABETH-STREET, SYDNEY.
ANY RESPECTABLE PERSON REQUIRING THE LOAN OF FROM £5 to £100 CAN OBTAIN SAME BY APPLYING AT THE ABOVE OFFICE. All communications private.

VICTORIAN MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY,

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PRINTING MACHINE for SALE.—A Hoe's Rotary MACHINE, capable of printing a newspaper the size of the Sydney Mail, or considerably larger if necessary, at the rate of 9000 copies per hour. Apply to John Fairfax and Sons.

CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS, Robison's patent will discharge more water, with the power applied, than those of any other maker in the world.

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MACHINERY and Contractors' PLANT of every description for SALE, at DAVID MUNRO and CO.'S, 184, Queen-street. Melbourne.

KIMBERLEY Miners.—Parke's Gold-saving Machine on trial, 11 this day. 401, George-street.

BICYCLE for SALE, 50-inch, all nickeled, nearly new, cheap. J. Pearson, Farmer and Company.

BOOT TRADE.—For SALE, set Boot MACHINERY. Address Arthur, Oxford-street Post-office.

Miscellaneous.

EMPTY CASES for SALE, also large Cooking STOVE by Siee, Crown-street. Apply Chief Clerk Hordern Brothers, Pitt-street.

ZINC-LINED CASES for SALE, cheap. E. Way, 213 to 219, Pitt-street.

BICYCLE FOR SALE, 52-inch, first-class order, with lamp and bell, ball bearings and hollow forks, £8. Also 54-inch RACER, very light, £12. W. H. Ballard, Stores, 10 and 12, Macquarie-place.

KIMBERLEY Diggings.—For Sale, Revolvers, B. L. Guns, Clothing less than whol. cost. Herman, 191½, Pitt-st.

SPANISH FOWLS.—Wanted, a few, pure bred; state price. G. P. O., Box 964.

THE Highest Price given for all kinds of Wearing Apparel. Mrs. H. N., 26, Botany-street, Surry Hills.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING and Old Gold Jewellery wanted, large or small quantities. Dawson, 135, Bathurst-st.

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HIGHEST Price for Ladies and Gentlemen's Left-off Clothing. Barnett, 315, Castlereagh-st. Letters attended.

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NEWFOUNDLAND DOG wanted; must be young and tractable. Apply 3, Barrack-street.

WANTED to BUY, a good second-hand BILLIARD-TABLE. A. Petterson, James' Hotel, Kent-st.

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PURCHASE YOUR FURNITURE at the Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

Auction Sales.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

THE CITY HORSE BAZAAR.

THIS DAY, 11 a.m.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from various owners to sell by auction, THIS DAY at the City Horse Bazaar, at 11 a.m.,
Several draught mares and geldings, subject to trial
20 saddle and harness horses, thoroughly broken; trial given
20 active medium draught horses and several upstanding van horses.

CHESTNUT COB.

Grand Hack and Harness Horse.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
THIS DAY, 7th June, 11.30 a.m.,
A CHESTNUT COB, 15.3, tip-top condition, grand goer in saddle and harness.

Subject to trial.

Inspection invited.

HUNTER RIVER HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS,
THIS (MONDAY) AFTERNOON.

35 COLTS and FILLIES,
BROKEN and UNBROKEN.

BROWN BROS. and CO. will sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN Yards,
THIS AFTERNOON,
at 2.30 p.m.
35 COLTS and FILLIES, BROKEN and UNBROKEN, consisting of LIGHT DRAUGHTS, ACTIVE VAN and 'BUS sorts. The balance of unsold horses from Friday's sale.

The whole will be cleared out without any reserve. A grand opportunity for securing horses for shipment.

5 USEFUL HORSES FROM BATHURST.

BROWN BROS. and CO. will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, 175, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 o'clock,
1 brown carriage horse, 6 years old, 16 hands, and a perfect horse in any harness
Pair buggy horses, bays, 4 years, by Yorkshire Hero, imp. with perfect paces
1 handsome piebald gelding, excellent single harness horse
Boy's pony, bright bay, quiet, and a first-class goer.

WANTED FOR INDIA.

BROWN BROS. and CO.
require a
LOW-SET, HANDSOME, FIRST-CLASS COB,
for saddle, not over 14 hands,
with good manners and paces, under 7 years.
Bay, brown, or black.

THE SHINING LIGHT of Australia is the Petroline Candle. 6½d per lb. J. Kidman.

Auction Sales.

UPSTANDING CHESTNUT GELDING.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
An upstanding chestnut gelding, from Bathurst; broken to saddle and harness.

KIMBERLEY. KIMBERLEY. KIMBERLEY.

HUNTER RIVER HORSES.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from E. Doyle, Esq., Clevedon, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, 11.30 a.m.,
SEVERAL USEFUL STRONG HORSES, suitable for pack or harness.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS. CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

TO KIMBERLEY HORSE BUYERS, OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS, VANMEN, CARRIERS, MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.

FOR POSITIVE and UNRESERVED SALE.

35 FIRST-CLASS HORSES,
from the
HUNTER RIVER DISTRICT,
THIS AFTERNOON,
at 2.30 p.m.

BROWN BROS. and CO. beg to invite the attention of persons in want of horses to sale of the above horses, which will be held at the Camperdown Sale Yards, at 2.30 p.m.

Among the number are several useful broken-in horses, including a pair of well-bred carriage horses, broken to harness. The unbroken colts and fillies are by Magenta and the famous trotting stallion Orphan.

FRESH COUNTRY HORSE, FROM THE HUNTER RIVER.

BROWN, BROS., and CO. have received instructions from H. L. McDougall, Esq., of Maitland, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), at 11.30 a.m.,
Bay gelding, by Duke of Cleveland, from an Arab mare; thoroughly broken to saddle, single and double harness.

The above horse can be highly recommended to anyone in want of a thorough good buggy horse. Trial given.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
LIVERY: In this department charges moderate, and best of forage.
A special sale any afternoon, as arranged, of Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

TO TROTTING MEN and OTHERS.

2 FIRST-CLASS TROTTING HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from — Baker, Esq., Newcastle, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 12 o'clock.
PRETENDER, bay horse, good in saddle and harness, fast trotter, guaranteed to trot his mile in three minutes or under; is a grand shaped one, and fine mover, can trot right out without a break.
EVANGELINE, grey mare, also a fast trotter, can break three minutes easily, a grand mover, with splendid action.

Both of these horses are maidens, and are very quiet.

Grey pony gelding, guaranteed to trot a mile in 3.45 minutes, quiet for a lady to drive, and takes no notice of the trams, a nice mover, with a good temper.

On view at Bazaar first thing on Monday morning.

BALMAIN and BURWOOD BICYCLE CLUB RACES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary of the Association Cricket Ground to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 7th June, at 12 o'clock,
The right to the bars and cake and fruit stall for the above races, to take place on Saturday, 12th June, when most of the intercolonial visitors compete.

HORSE, CART, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock.
Stanch horse, new springcart, and harness. A really good lot.

1 NEW PAGNEL CART
1 SINGLE-SEAT BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
1 New Pagnel three-spring cart
1 Single-seat buggy.

TIP-DRAY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Artlett to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
1 Tip-dray, also
1 Set of double harness.

SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut mare, broken to saddle and harness, quiet, carry a lady, and stand tram; any trial.

TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN AND OTHERS.

EIGHT VERY SUPERIOR SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. W. Jones, Kiama, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock.
Very handsome dark bay mare, 5 years, 15.3 high, broken to saddle and harness, has fine action, is very quiet, and a really superior animal
Handsome brown gelding, 4 years, 15.3, thoroughly quiet in saddle and harness, with good action
Bay mare, 6 years, broken to saddle and harness, is a very fast trotter
Bay gelding, 6 years, 16.2, a thorough harness horse, suitable for sociable or Victoria
Bay mare, 4 years, 15.2, quiet in saddle and harness
Heavy draught mare, subject to any trial
Two bay cobs, both up to any weight in the saddle, and good harness horses.

The above is the best lot that has come to the market for some time, and will be found well worthy the inspection of any gentleman requiring horses of this class.

FIRST-CLASS SOCIABLE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock,
A first-class light cutunder, hooded sociable, with brake and lamps; cost £95. Is in splendid order, and to be sold without reserve.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

Wanted to Buy about 40 PACK HORSES.

GEORGE KISS wants to buy about 40 horses suitable for saddle and pack work, for Kimberley.
MUST BE BOUGHT TO-DAY.

Anyone having horses of this class to dispose of will do well to send same to the Bazaar without fail THIS MORNING.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO.'S HORSE BAZAAR,
PITT and CASTLEREAGH STREETS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. will hold their regular Sale of Horses, Vehicles, &c., at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, commencing at 11 o'clock sharp, when the following will be offered:—
Draught, van, 'bus, cab, and all descriptions of light harness horses and hackneys.
Also
Buggies, vans, springcarts, tipdrays, harness, saddles, &c.

N.B.—Sales held at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon, as per arrangement.

HEAVY DRAUGHT, VAN, LIGHT HARNESS and SADDLE HORSES.

For SALE, at
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO.'S BAZAAR,
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from various owners to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
20 superior heavy draught mares and geldings, stanch in collar, and subject to trial
16 active cart and van horses, with trials
10 useful saddle and harness horses.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO HEAVY CARRIERS, DRAY, VAN, OMNIBUS, and CAB PROPRIETORS, and OTHERS.

50 GUNDAGAI HORSES,
FOR SALE at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS,
on
TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 8, at 2.30 O'CLOCK.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. THOMAS BROBEN, GUNDAGAI, to sell by AUCTION, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, on
TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 8, at HALF-PAST 2 O'CLOCK.
50 superior horses, comprising first-class draught colts and fillies, van and 'bus horses, and horses suitable for buggy, cab, and all kinds of light harness and saddle work, broken and unbroken, and in splendid condition.
Mr. BROBEN is noted for sending forward horses of a superior class, and the present draft are described as a really choice lot.

T. R. SMITH and T. COSGROVE will sell at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
30 powerful horses, all classes, from the grand charger down to the heavy draught, on account of Michael Kenny, Esq.
5 medium cart horses.

These horses will be sold without reserve.

KIMBERLEY.—PACK HORSES.
Wanted, fifteen or twenty Pack HORSES. Price, from £8 to £15.
T. R. SMITH and T. COSGROVE,
Royal Horse Bazaar.

CARRIAGE HORSES.

W. GARLING has been instructed by the Executors of the late M. Levey, Esq., to sell by auction, at his Bazaar (late Fennelly's), THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,
Pair bay carriage horses, 5 and 6 years, bred by Messrs. R. and E. Rouse, Guntawang, well broken, quiet, and good movers
Also, bay gelding, bred by A. Gibson, Goulburn, stylish, good goer, suitable for Victoria.

TRADE NOTICE.

GEO. MAIDEN, for R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th instant,
700 prime fat wethers, from Messrs. B. J. Fink and Co., Wilgar Downs
300 prime fat wethers, from Bathurst
100 ditto ditto ditto, from Kelso.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell by auction at N. S. N. Company's Wharf, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
Bales lucerne hay and other produce.
Terms, cash.

DRANSFIELD BROS. will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
1100 prime fat sheep, A. Cummings, Esq.
300 prime fat sheep, Southern agents
100 prime fat sheep, A. Dempsey, Esq.
300 prime fat sheep, B. M'Sorley.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Saleyards, Homebush, THIS DAY, the 7th June, at 11 o'clock,
40 prime fat cattle, P. H. Osborne, Esq., Currandooley
200 prime fat sheep, Messrs. Glasson Brothers, Holwood.

PURE YORKSHIRE STUD PIGS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, have received instructions from George King, Esq., Christchurch, N. Z., to sell by public auction, at the Produce Depot of Messrs. William Inglis and Co., George-street, opposite Railway Station, on TUESDAY, the 8th June, at 12 o'clock sharp,
12 pure Yorkshire stud pigs,
ex Wakatipu.

The above are now on view.

TRADE NOTICE.

HILL, CLARK and CO. have been instructed to sell at Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th June,
163 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. M. and G. Morgan, Corinna
90 ditto ditto ditto, for D. Beatson, Esq., Clarence
45 ditto ditto ditto, for Henry Barnes, Esq., Dyraaba.

FAT CATTLE AND SHEEP.

HOMEBUSH, THIS DAY,
June 7,
at 11 o'clock.

PITT, SON and BADGERY will sell by auction, as above,
50 prime fat cattle, for Mr. H. Stapleton
20 ditto ditto ditto, for Mrs. Dunn
20 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. Lloyd
10 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. A. Dunn
500 ditto ditto sheep, for Messrs. E. Vickery and Sons
500 ditto ditto ditto, Southern agents
400 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Friend Bros.
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. H. Wheatley
200 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. H. Poidevin
200 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. F. Gordon
200 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. Webb
100 ditto ditto ditto, for Northern agents.

THIS DAY, 12, Beef and Mutton auction, Metropolitan Meat Market. Henry M'Namara.

T. SULLIVAN and SON have received instructions from Messrs. Clark Bros. to sell by auction at the Corporation Sale Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, the 7th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1601 extra prime and weighty wethers in lots, per rail from Rylstone.

HOMEBUSH CORPORATION STOCK SALE YARDS.

TRADE NOTICE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock,
1000 prime fat sheep, on account of C. Dunn, Esq., Terglow.
1000 prime fat sheep, on account of H. Dunn, Esq., Kilmorey.
40 prime fat cattle, on account of S. M'Minn, Esq., Liverpool.

TRADE NOTICE.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th instant, at usual hours,
350 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Moodie, Donaldson, Inglis and Co., Mount Margaret, rail, Bourke
300 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Bear Bros., Grong Grong, per rail; and
100 prime fat lambs, for Messrs. Bear Bros., Grong Grong, per rail.

SOUTH COAST AND WEST CAMDEN CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, Limited,
123 and 125, Sussex-street.

AUCTION SALES OF FRESH BUTTER every morning at 10.30.

GEORGE WELLS will sell by auction, at the HUNTER RIVER STEAM COMPANY'S WHARFS, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
Lucerne hay, oaten hay, and maize.

FRUITS. FRUITS. FRUITS.
Ex Flora.

TURNER BROS. will sell by auction, at their Stores, 155, York-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock sharp,
1500 cases of fruits, assorted.
The above in lots to suit purchasers.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell, at Newtown Station, daily, at 7. Wood, posts, rails, &c.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell, at Darling Harbour, daily, at 8. Wood, posts, rails, &c.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell, this morning, at Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, corn, chaff, straw, pumpkins.

TO GROCERS, STOREKEEPERS, AND DEALERS.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF A GENERAL GROCER.

SEAFORTH PROCTER has received instructions from the Trustees in the above Estate to sell by auction, at his Mart, 727, George-street, TO-MORROW, at 12 o'clock sharp, stock-in-trade of a grocery business, comprising
Tea, ½ chests, boxes, 1lb. and ½lb. packages
Sugars in mats and company's No 1
16 boxes candles, sperms, moulds, paraffins
English jams, jellies, preserves
12 cases colonial jam (Dyason's)
Pickles: Morton's Whybrow's, and Stephen's
5 cases Dairymaid Milk and 6 boxes cocoa
Chutney, Australian relish, sauces (Lea and Perrins')
Kippered herrings, salmon, lobsters, and fresh herrings, best brands
10 cases castor and salad oils
Large assortment of millet brooms
4 casks currants, 10 boxes eleme raisins
5 cases soap, Oxford blue (Keen's)
Colman's No. 1, and Hoffman's starch
Brushware, clothes lines, clothes pegs
Ironmongery, cutlery, crockery, tinware
50 tins spice nuts and fancy confectionery
Show tins, show-cases, show-glasses
Counter bins and fixtures
Tea scales, butter scales, 2 weighing machines.

Removed to mart for convenience of sale.

ON WEDNESDAY, at 11 O'CLOCK.

On the Premises, 130 and 132, Denison-street, Kingston.

A Grand Lot of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE of two HOUSES, comprising
Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, Chairs, Tables, Carpets, Matting, Oilcloth, and an American Suite, Austrian Furniture, best kind, and everything to suit furnishers; also, Crockery and Glassware, &c.

EDWARD FRENCH is favoured with instructions to sell as above on WEDNESDAY, at 11. No reserve.

THIS DAY, JUNE 7, AT 12.

On the Premises, Malcolm-street, M'Donaldtown.
UNDER WARRANT OF RENT.
Household Furniture and Effects, Valuable Books, &c.

JOHN I. ASPINALL is instructed to sell by public auction as above.

TO TOBACCONISTS, SMALL SHOPKEEPERS, DEALERS, the TRADE, and Others.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, on the premises, No. 20, Park-street, near Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, 7th June, at 11 a.m.,
Stock-in-trade of a first-class tobacconist's and hairdressing business—
15,000 assorted cigars
About 15 dozen assorted meerschaum pipes
G B. briars, Don briars
Amber mouthpieces, perfumery, pouches
Russia leather purses, silver-mounted pipes in cases
Walking-sticks, cutlery, brushware
Red Lion, Conqueror, Navy, and other tobaccos
Glass cases, sundries, &c.
No reserve. Terms, cash.

HYAM HAINS, Auctioneer, Bennett-chambers, Market-street, next Evening News Office.

TO GENTLEMEN, PARTIES ABOUT FURNISHING, DEALERS, THE TRADE, and OTHERS.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), the 8th inst., at 11 a.m., on the premises, 549, Bourke-street, Surry Hills, near Phelp-street.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, without the slightest reserve
Piano, by Carl Wagner, full compass, overstrung, and iron-bound
Handsome drawing and dining room suites
Plate glass, sideboards, inlaid whatnots
Pier glasses, lustres, and magnificent ornaments
Wardrobe, duchess toilets, H. and P. ware
Large and small chests drawers
Carpets, linoleum, stair carpets and rods
Toilet glasses, cedar and pine toilet tables
Single and double bedsteads, spring mattresses, and bedding
Pictures, ornaments, E. P. ware, cutlery
Book case and 150 assorted literature
Kitchen utensils, sundries, &c., &c.

The household furniture, &c., being nearly new, an opportunity is afforded intending purchasers to secure
GOOD and SUBSTANTIAL FURNITURE.

HYAM HAINS, Auctioneer,
Bennet Chambers, Market-street,
next "Evening News" office.

MONDAY, JUNE 7, at 11 a.m.
INSOLVENT ESTATE OF WILLIAM MUNRO,
Cottenham-street, Glebe.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, on the Premises, as above, THIS DAY, JUNE 7, at 11 a.m.,
WITHOUT RESERVE.
. Offices: 89½, King-street.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, HILLSIDE-TERRACE, 271, WOMERAH-TERRACE, off Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, on the Premises, as above, TUESDAY, June 8, at 11 a.m.
Without reserve.
Offices, 89½, King-street.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, at 11 a.m.
Insolvent Estate of SUNG CHONG and CO., Grocers, 252, Sussex-street.
STOCK-IN-TRADE of GROCERIES, TEAS, JAMS, LOLLIES, &c., &c.
Also
LARGE CEDAR COUNTER, FIXTURES, with DRAWERS
OFFICE DESKS, TABLES, SCALES, WEIGHTS, &c.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from A. Morris, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell by auction on the premises, as above, WEDNESDAY, June 9, at 11 a.m.
Without reserve.
Offices, 89½, King-street.

FIVE THOUSAND CHAIRS for Hire. The Globe Furniture Arcade, 535, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Galvanised-iron Workers, Ironmongers, Builders, Contractors, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

40 Cases CORRUGATED GALVANISED IRON,
5 feet to 10 feet.
40 Cases PLAIN GALVANISED IRON,
72 x 24 x 28, 72 x 30 x 28, 72 x 36 x 28.

In guaranteed order and condition.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the Importers to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Ironmongers, Contractors, Builders, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

250 Cases WIRE NAILS.
Assorted Sizes.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the Consignees to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Oil and Colour Men, Builders, Contractors, Ironmongers, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

300 Kegs GENUINE WHITE LEAD
160 Ditto RED OXIDE
150 Ditto YELLOW, GREEN, and BLACK PAINT
100 Cases ASSORTED PAINTS, in ½-gallon tins
40 Ditto PATENT AXLE GREESE.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Bicyclists, Sports Repositories, Brokers, and Others.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

4 Cases
SPLENDIDLY-FINISHED BICYCLES and TRICYCLES.

Hollow Forks, Double Ball Bearings, and all the latest improvements.

Just Landed, ex Dartford.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the Consignees to sell by auction, at THEIR ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock.
4 Cases
SUPERIOR BICYCLES and TRICYCLES.

Terms, cash. NO RESERVE.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Plumbers, Gasfitters, Furnishing Ironmongers, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

6 Cases
SUPERIOR QUALITY 2 and 3 LIGHT CHANDELIERS,
HALL LAMPS, &c.

To Close Accounts.

NATHAN COHEN and CO have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at THEIR ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash. NO RESERVE.

MONDAY, JUNE 7.

To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Contractors, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

20 Cases IRON and STEEL D and LH SHOVELS, square and round make
40 Dozen GALVANISED AIR BRICKS
20 ASSORTED PUMPS
12 CASES IRON SAFES, BURGLAR and FIRE PROOF
1 Case REVOLVERS
20 Rolls GALVANISED WIRE NETTING.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, June 7th, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8th.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Parties Furnishing, Commission Brokers, and Others.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
comprising
SINGLE and DOUBLE WARDROBES, P.G. Doors
CHESTS DRAWERS, WASHSTANDS
SIDEBOARDS, CHIFFONIERS
CEDAR and PINE SAFES
BOOKCASES, TABLES
DRESSERS, KITCHEN TABLES, &c., &c.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, June 8th, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash.
NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
comprising
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, splendidly finished, upholstered in Silk Cotelaine, and Plush, Fancy Rep., &c.
MAGNIFICENT DINING-ROOM SUITES, covered in Leather
ELEGANT EBONY and WALNUT MUSIC CANTERBURIES
Enclosed MUSIC CABINETS
EUGENIE COUCHES, covered in Fancy Cretonne
EASY CHAIRS, ditto ditto
ELEGANT BEDROOM SUITES, consisting of massive break-front Wardrobes, P.G. doors, pair Toilets, M. T. Washstands, Cupboard, Towel Rails, and 3 Chairs
Handsome Ash Beaconsfield WARDROBES, fitted
DUCHESSE TOILETS
Massive DINING-TABLES, patent screws
AMERICAN WALNUT LOO TABLES
Solid Walnut SIDEBOARDS, bevelled plates
AMERICAN ASH and WALNUT DINING TABLES
Elegant Walnut WARDROBES and BOOKCASES
Walnut COUCHES, covered Silk, Cotelaine
LADIES' INLAID WALNUT DAVENPORTS,
&c., &c.

On view Monday and Morning of Sale.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 74, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, June 8, at 11 o'clock,
Quantity of
ELEGANT and VALUABLE FURNITURE,
as above.

TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Parties Furnishing, Commission Brokers, and Others.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE
BY AUCTION.

10 CASES
ELEGANT WALNUT and BLACK and GOLD OVERMANTELS,
Bevelled Plate Glass, with brackets, &c.
Ex Dartford.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the Consignees to sell the above by auction, at THEIR ROOMS, 74, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, June 8, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Carpet Warehousemen, Chair Buyers, Furnishing Ironmongers, and Others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE
BY AUCTION.
To Close Accounts.

2 bales VELVET PILE CARPETS
16 bales BRUSSELS, ditto
1 case TEA TRAYS
3 cases AUSTRIAN SOFAS
1 case REVOLVING ARM CHAIRS
10 cases ROUND SEAT DINING Ditto
10 cases WOOD-SEAT BENT CHAIRS
2 cases HALF-TESTER COTS
2 cases DITTO BEDSTEADS.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above, by auction, at their Rooms, 74, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, June 9, at 11 o'clock.
TERMS, CASH.
NO RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9.

To Private Buyers, Fancy Repositories, Art Collectors, Commission Brokers, and Others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

20 CASES
MAGNIFICENT MAJOLICA WARE,
from one of
THE LEADING CONTINENTAL MANUFACTORIES,
comprising
THE LATEST NOVELTIES and DESIGNS
in
CENTRE ORNAMENTS, VASES
FIGURES, ANIMALS
DESSERT SETS, TETE-A-TETE SETS
SMOKERS' COMPANIONS
PUNCHBOWLS, TOILET ORNAMENTS
CANDLESTICKS, CANDELABRA,
&c., &c.

Also,
15 CASES ASSORTED VASES,
just landed.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the consignees to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9.

To Private Buyers, Piano Artistes, Music Repositories, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

SIX CASES
CELEBRATED CARL SCHEEL PIANOS,
being the
FIRST CONSIGNMENT
of these
MAGNIFICENT INSTRUMENTS
offered to an Australian Public.

In reference to the manufacture of these ELEGANT PIANOS, the whole Instrument is made in the SCHEEL FACTORY at CASSEL, that is, both Case and Action are there constructed; not as is done by nearly all makers, who purchase the action from other firms (who only make this part of a piano), then fit the action to the case, keys, and strings.
The advantage of the whole of the instrument being made in one factory, such as with the CARL SCHEEL, is obvious, as
A PERFECTION OF TONE, TOUCH, and FINISH,
is thus realised that cannot be obtained of instruments simply put together.
The IVORY KEYS (Parisian) are the very BEST QUALITY, and the STRINGS of the FINEST TEMPERED STEEL; whilst as regards the ACTION, constructed as it is upon the MOST IMPROVED PRINCIPLE, it is, for
BEAUTY of FINISH and PRECISION UNSURPASSED.

No Wood under 10 years' seasoning is used in
THE SCHEEL PIANOS,
consequently no warping or shrinkage can occur in the cases, whilst the Actions are manufactured of various woods to compensate for the sudden changes in TROPICAL CLIMATES.

PURITY and DEPTH OF TONE
is claimed by the manufacturer, and admitted by the best authorities to be
THE HIGHEST POINT
of
THEIR EXCELLENCE.
This Sostenente quality being scarcely ever achieved by any other makes except GRANDS.

THESE VALUABLE and MAGNIFICENT INSTRUMENTS will be on view Tuesday and morning of sale, and being the first consignment sent to the market, gentlemen and others requiring
PIANOFORTES OF UNDENIABLE MERIT
should not allow this opportunity to pass without securing one of these
MAGNIFICENT CARL SCHEEL PIANOS.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the consignees to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9.

To Private Buyers, Fancy Repositories, Art Connoisseurs, Commission Brokers, and others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

20 Cases
MAGNIFICENT JAPANESE CURIOS,
comprising
SOME OF THE LATEST NOVELTIES,
and consigned by
ONE OF THE LEADING JAPANESE MERCHANTS.

For Positive Unreserved Sale.

Full particulars in future advertisement.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, June 9, at 11 o'clock.

Terms Cash. NO RESERVE.

THURSDAY, JUNE 10.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Providores, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

400 Boxes BRANDON'S CANDLES
50 Cases NEW ZEALAND MULLET
200 Cases QUARTER SARDINES
100 Ditto HALF DITTO
10 Ditto ITALIAN MACCARONI
40 Ditto MILLER'S SAUCE
200 ditto BLANCHFLOWER'S PICKLES
50 Ditto ORIENTAL SAUCE
100 Ditto MILLER'S PICKLES
50 Ditto GOLDEN SYRUP
10 Ditto QUEENSLAND ARROWROOT
20 Bales BROWN and GREY SUGAR BAGS
30 Ditto BROWN PAPER, various sizes
100 Cases QUARTS ALE
100 Ditto PINT DITTO
130 Ditto LAGER BEER, white bottles.

NATHAN COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, June 10, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at Sale.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE
of
GENERAL DRAPERY.

Balance of Millinery WAREHOUSE STOCK,
STOCK of Manufacturing Tailor,
comprising
Over 100 ORDERED GARMENTS
SHEETINGS, QUILTS, DRESS GOODS
HOSIERY, UNDERCLOTHING, SKIRTS
WOOL SHAWLS, SQUARES, and CLOUDS
BLANKETS, FLANNELS, CRIMEAN SHIRTINGS
TWEEDS, CLOTHING, HATS,
&c., &c.

KELLETT and ALFORD will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 14 Barrack-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 sharp.
Lines of salable winter goods in entire cases or lots, as desired.
Ordered coats, trousers, and vests and suits, all first-class goods, left unclaimed.
And
A variety of drapery and furnishing goods
Clothing, hats, hosiery
Wool goods, woollens,
&c., &c.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 11 o'clock.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, the Labour Bazaar, Pitt-street,
First-class pianoforte, by Chappell and Co.
Drawing and dining-room suites
Sideboards, pier glasses, carpets
Electroplate and chinaware
Oleographs, engravings, &c.
Bedsteads and bedding, double and single
Bed linen, &c.
Cedar and pine wardrobes
Washstands and sets, toilet tables and glasses
Also 195 dozen Imperial London bottled vinegar, in pints and quarts
First-class shop counter (cedar)
368 Austrian chairs, various sizes
Quantity of tinsmiths' tools, as previously inserted.

FRIDAY, June 11, 1886, at 11 o'clock.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

To Parties Furnishing, Commission Agents, and Others.

IMPORTANT ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

At ERISWELL,
the Residence of Rev. George Woolnough, M.A., corner of Chandos-street and Webb's-avenue, Ashfield.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Rev. G. Woolnough, M.A. (on account of his leaving the colony), to sell by auction.
The whole of his elegant and superior dining, drawing, library, and bedroom furniture
Richly-cut glass, china, and electro-plated ware, carpets
Kitchen furniture and utensils, mangle, &c.

Full particulars in Tuesday's issue.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, at 11 o'clock.

THE ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE
of a
FIRST-CLASS TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

Removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale.

IMPORTANT TO TAILORS, WOOLLEN MERCHANTS, AND OTHERS.

700 ENDS SUPERIOR TROUSERINGS and COATINGS
TRIMMINGS, TOOLS OF TRADE, &c.

Also, under instructions from the
RESIDENT AGENTS.

By Order of the Manufacturers.

INDENT SAMPLES and BULK STOCK
Very superior Wool Clouds, Opera Cloaks, Jackets
Scarfs, Boots, Booties, Cardigan Jackets
FRENCH MILLINERY BONNETS
SAMPLE SHIPMENT BOOTS and SHOES
GENERAL DRAPERY, DRESS GOODS, BLANKETS
CLOTHING, SHIRTS, MERCERY, HOSIERY
UNDERCLOTHING, HABERDASHERY
10 Cases MEN'S and BOYS' FASHIONABLE SHAPE FELT HATS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The SALE will be CONTINUED throughout the day.

TERMS, LIBERAL, AT SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, JUNE 9th, commencing at 11 o'clock sharp,
The above.

Full particulars in future issue.

THIS DAY, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

J. G. FLEMING and SONS will sell by auction, at their new Mart, 210, Pitt-street,
Half-tester bedsteads, pictures, vases, cane-back chairs, Washington chairs, swing mirrors, wire-wove mattresses, tables, large chests drawers, cheffioners, overmantel mirrors, sideboards, solid camphor bureau, and trunks, dressers horsehair couch, piano, elegant writing-desks, handsome fur mats, opera glasses, confectionery, jams, pickles, candles, bottled fruits, &c., &c.

BUILDING MATERIALS. BUILDING MATERIALS.
On the premises, 24 and 26, Hunter-street.

LENEHAN and CO. are instructed to sell by auction on the above premises, on This Day, MONDAY, June 7th, at 11 o'clock,
Building materials, consisting of 60,000 full-size Sandstock's bricks; 500 cut corrugated sheets iron, 5 to 10 feet; 5000 feet hardwood flooring boards; 5000 feet inch-tongued pine floor boards; 4500 feet lining boards, ½, ⅝, 1 inch; 100 perch base course; 2 shop fronts (plate glass); piping, ridging, coping, &c., &c.; 400-gallon tanks. Terms cash. No reserve.

BLACKHEATH.—Acre and ½-Acre BLOCKS, right at the Station, easy terms, for SALE next WEDNESDAY, in the Rooms.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, No. 199, PITT-STREET.

CONTINUATION SALE.

THIS DAY, 7th JUNE, at 11 a.m.

EXTRAORDINARY GRAND DISPLAY
and
HIGHLY IMPORTANT
and
ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
112 Packages
JAPANESE ART PRODUCTIONS
Cloisonne Enamels
Magnificent Bronzes
Embroidered Silks
Carved Ivories
Unique Curios
Cabinetware
Finest Lacquered Goods,
&c., &c.

Just landed, ex Taiwan (s.), from Hongkong.

This Extensive and Splendid Shipment
of
VERY INTERESTING RARE CURIOS and ART OBJECTS
is of
UNEQUALLED GRANDEUR,
and embraces lines
of the
MOST COSTLY CHARACTER,
selected by
that distinguished Japanese connoisseur,
Mr. J. NUMASHIMA,
of Yokohama,
who for many years has enjoyed exceptional powers and advantages debarred to European collectors in Japan. The entire shipment has been personally superintended by this gentleman, thus affording ample guarantee of its excellence throughout.

To Trade Buyers, Art Collectors, Curio Dealers, Silk Mercers, Fancy Repositories, Jewellers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the LEADING JAPANESE COLLECTIONIST to CONTINUE the SALE of the above MAGNIFICENT SHIPMENT at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS MORNING, 7th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, 7th JUNE,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon,
on the Premises,
PARRAMATTA-ROAD, ANNANDALE.

FINAL CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the
TRUSTEES in the ASSIGNED ESTATE
of
DAVID WILLIAMS,
Timber Merchant, &c.

The BALANCE of STOCK and SUNDRIES,
comprising
Hardwood, Clear Pine, Kauri
Redwood, Skirtings, and Mouldings
Spring Cart, Spring Dray
Horse and Harness
Plate Glass, &c.

Also,
UNCLEARED LOTS from former sale of 27th May last.

To Timber Merchants, Builders, Contractors, Draymen, and others.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from the TRUSTEES in the ASSIGNED ESTATE of DAVID WILLIAMS to hold a FINAL CLEARING SALE BY AUCTION, on the premises, PARRAMATTA-ROAD, ANNANDALE, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock.

NO RESERVE.

. Buyers are invited to inspect prior to sale.

TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults.

25 CASES FAY'S TABLET SUGAR, each 1cwt.,
Numbers 1 to 25.

100 DITTO FAY'S TABLET SUGAR, each ½cwt.,
Mark ODC above Sydney, Numbers 1 to 100.

To Wholesale Grocers, Shippers, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE.
TERMS, CASH.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, at 11 o'clock.

THIRD POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM AGENTS.

80 Cases (each 56lb.) HEUMAN'S STARCH (Eagle Brand).

. The agents of the abovenamed favourite brand of Starch are instructed to push the same into general consumption in this market, and with this view periodical unreserved sales by auction are arranged for. The trade is informed that this parcel will be sold without reserve, in lots to suit purchasers.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Shopkeepers, Laundries, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

THIRD POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

Under instructions from the Agents.

500 BOXES BRANDON'S 8-MEDAL CANDLES.

. The agents of the abovenamed
FAVOURITE BRAND OF CANDLES
are instructed to push the same into general consumption in this market, and with this view periodical Unreserved Sales by Auction are arranged for. The trade is informed that these candles will be sold without reserve, in lots to suit purchasers.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Ship Chandlers, Merchants, Storekeepers, Dealers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock,
NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
under instructions from the Importers.

300 BOXES TOILET SOAPS, assorted
14 CASES CONTINENTAL FANCY SOAPS.
19 CASES "Sadler's" BLACKLEAD
5 Ditto "Globe" KNIFE POLISH
75 CASES "Overall's" Hexagon PICKLES
2 CASES LING FISH
60 Ditto "Blanchflower's" FRESH HERRINGS, each 100 tins
6 Ditto ditto Collared Ox Cheek
2 Ditto ditto Bloaters
2 Ditto ditto Mackerel
80 CASES MALAGA RAISINS, No. 1
33 Ditto dito, Nos. 2 and 3
90 QUARTER BARRELS DRIED APPLES, in Bond
120 KEGS DRIED APPLES, in Bond
50 KEGS GOLDEN DRIPS
3 TONS HONEY, in 60 lb. Tins
20 CASES "Shamrock" JAMS
10 CASES "Blanchflower's" Assorted MEATS, GAME, and FISH
19 Ditto "Sadler's," Mustard, in ¼, ½, and 1 lb. Tins
10 CASKS VINEGAR, in Bond
15 CASES ORIENTAL SAUCE, pts.
30 CASES "Townsend's" SARSAPARILLA, ea. 2 Gall's. 1 doz.
50 Ditto "Cockatrice" STOUT, skittle shaped qts., D.P.
36 Ditto LAGER BEER, "Pilsner Royal Brewery," J.B.
101 Ditto ditto, "German Flag," pts. and qts., J.B.
8 Ditto MANILLA CIGARS, in Bond.

To Wholesale Grocers, Provision Dealers, Ale and Porter Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Tobacconists, Caterers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, JUNE 8,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
consisting of
BEDROOM SUITES, in fine polished ash
LARGE THREE-WING WARDROBES, in polished cedar, fitted with mirrored centre doors, &c.
DUCHESSE TOILET TABLES and MARBLE-TOP WASHSTANDS
SINGLE WARDROBES, in cedar and pine
Chests of Drawers, large size, and Bureau Chests
Half-tester and 4-post Brass-mounted and Enamelled Iron BEDSTEADS of superior design.

DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE.
ELEGANT SUITES in various hardwoods, splendidly upholstered in fancy tapestry, &c.
GILT PIER GLASSES, WALNUT OVERMANTELS
Centre and Occasional Tables, Octagon Tables
Eugenie Couches, Occasional Chairs, &c.
Canterburies, Music Cabinets, &c.

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.
Rare and Massive Oak SUITES in real morocco, stuffed with best hair throughout
Balustrade-top BOOKCASES, full size
DINING TABLES, with elliptic ends
Leather-covered SUITES, in mahogany, &c.
Also,
Pedestal WRITING TABLES, in cedar, oak, and mahogany
HAT and UMBRELLA STANDS, Hall Chairs and Seats, cast bronze
Hat and Umbrella Stands, oak, walnut, and mahogany
KITCHEN TABLES, DRESSERS, Cedar and Pine MEAT SAFES, &c.
Quantity of Kitchen Utensils, Glassware, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Shop Furnishers, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE

TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

780 POCKETS
QUEENSLAND AND COLONAL SUGARS.

To Wholesale Grocers, Confectioners, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 11th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

SPECIAL CONSIGNMENT
just landed
Ex R.M.S GARONNE,
of a
GRAND SELECTION
of
EXCEEDINGLY CHOICE
CABINET and GALLERY OIL PAINTINGS,
culled direct from the studios of
CELEBRATED MODERN ARTISTS
in Italy, France, and Belgium,
all superbly framed.

THE WHOLE of these FINE EXAMPLES represent the labours of a LEADING ART CRITIC and CONNOISSEUR, who has visited EVERY WELL-KNOWN ART CENTRE in Europe.

The collection includes nearly
ONE HUNDRED
genuine productions by the following distinguished artists, leading members of the
Flemish, Italian, and French schools:—
"Maternal Love" and "Bygone Days," by Ruisbruck
"Dog's Banquet" and "Caught," by Barbanson
"Country Scene" and "Official Correspondence," by Malhot
"The Bride's Dowry" and "The Débutante," by Renaud
"Sheep," by Bogaert; "English Pastoral Scenes," by Williams
"The Poultry Yard," by Nys; "Children at the Bath," by Aders
"Scenes on the Rhine," "Lohengrin," by Arnold de Beer
"Voyage of Life" and "The Course of True Love," by Herrika
"Flowers of Friendship," "Marguerites," by Makart
"Female Studies," by Durnielly. Figure subjects by Louviere
"Winter Scenes," by Audibert; "Sylvan Landscapes," by Levvi
"The Faithful Guardian" and "The Mother's Joy," by B. Bell
"The Old, Old Story," "Famished Birds," "Baby's Breakfast," by Derries
"In the Woods," "After Nature," "Return of the Skaters," by Arents
"The Tyrolienne," "Scenes from Nature," by Erlin
"Swiss Scenery," "Promenade in the Park," by Dermot
"Neapolitan Fishermen," "Maternal Bliss," by Foucher
"Fox Hunting," "Still Life," by Morvey
&c., &c., &c.

. The Auctioneers have pleasure in stating to buyers that a LETTER of GUARANTEE has reached the consignees, thus furnishing a SAFE CRITERION as to the GENUINENESS of these ADMIRABLE PRODUCTIONS, and therefore they must recommend themselves highly to connoisseurs.

To Picture Buyers, Lovers of the Fine Arts, Private Gentlemen, Art Connoisseurs, Collectors, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the CONSIGNEES to arrange the above-named UNIQUE COLLECTION of PAINTINGS
for
OPEN and DISPLAYED SALE by AUCTION
at the
NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET,
on
FRIDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock a.m.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES on application.

ON VIEW THURSDAY and MORNING of SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 9th June.

3000 PACKAGES TEA,
for which special catalogues are now ready.

Sugars.
Groceries.
Oil Stores.
Tinned Fruits.
Sardines, Salmon, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above on WEDNESDAY, 9th June, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, June 9, 1886.

UNRESERVED SALE OF TEAS.

To close accounts for the Season.

Under instructions from Mr. R. T. Remington,
1297 PACKAGES.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 9th June, at 11 o'clock.

Musters now open for inspection.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9.

AT THE CITY MART.

AT 3 O'CLOCK.

TIMBER SALE.

WEEKLY CONSIGNMENTS AS ARRIVING.

PARTICULARS IN CATALOGUES.

BY ORDER OF THE CONSIGNEES.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

PRELIMINARY.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9,

AT THE CITY MART.

AT 3 O'CLOCK.

5000 CASKS CEMENT.

Ex VARIOUS SHIPS.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

BY ORDER OF MESSRS. BURNS, PHILP, and CO.

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
5000 casks cement, with all faults.

WEDNESDAY, 9th June.

At the City Mart,
at 11 o'clock.

Clearing Sale of Congou Teas,
under instructions from Messrs. A. Tange and Co.,
comprising
1470 half-chests Tea
280 boxes Tea
56 three-quarter Chests Souchong
150 boxes S.O. Pekoe

FRASER and CO will sell by auction,
The above.

Muster packages are now open at the Rooms.

WEDNESDAY, June 9.

AT THE CITY MART.

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

CLEARANCE SALE OF CONGOU TEAS.

CLOSING SALE OF THE SEASON.
On account of the following importers:—

Mr. R. T. REMINGTON'S Shipment of
1546 Packages CONGOUS.

Messrs. A. TANGE and CO.'S Shipment of
1700 Half-chests CONGOUS,
300 Boxes ditto,
200 Boxes S. O. PEKOES.

Messrs. HARBOTTLE, ALSOP, and CO.'S Shipments,
815 Half-chests TEA,
184 Boxes TEA,
188 Boxes S. O. PEKOES.

CATALOGUES now issuing, and Musters on view.

The trade are invited to make themselves conversant with the merits of each chop.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

TUESDAY, June 8, 1886.

On the Premises,
at 11 o'clock,
60, Goodhope-street,
Paddington.

GIBBS and CO. have received instructions from the owner to submit to public auction, on the above date, all his well-kept and first-class
FURNITURE,
consisting of
Piano, by August Foster
Walnut drawing-room suite, in tapestry
Walnut table, pier glasses, pictures, carpets
Horsehair suite, walnut music stools
Massive bedroom suite, in white pine
Bedsteads, bedding, fender and fireirons, chairs
Chests drawers, safe, kitchen utensils
Crockery, &c.
Oilcloth, stair carpets
Quantity wood, &c.
Terms, cash.
No reserve.

WEDNESDAY, June 9, 1886.

At the Rooms, 20, Bond-street, at 12 o'clock.

To Book Dealers, Students, &c.

COLLECTION 200 VOLUMES BOOKS, COLONIAL and OTHER WORKS.

GIBBS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the owners to submit to auction, on the above date, Valuable collection books, consisting of colonial, Dickens', and other standard works.
On View Tuesday, June 8, 1886.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

WEDNESDAY, June 9, 1886.
At the Rooms, 20, Bond-street,
at 11 o'clock.
CONSIGNMENT INKS, CEMENT, GUMS, SEALING WAX, &c.
To Stationers, Dealers, and Others.

GIBBS and CO. have received instructions to submit to public auction, at the Rooms, on the above date, Choice assortment stationer's requisites.
No reserve. Terms, cash.

THE SHINING LIGHT of Australia is the Petroline Candle, 6½d per lb. J. Kidman.

Auction Sales.

ORDER OF AUCTION SALES
by
Messrs. CHARLES MOORE and CO.,
123, Pitt-street.

THIS DAY, 7th inst.	Important Open Unreserved Sale of VERY CHOICE CHINAWARE, GLASSWARE, EARTHENWARE, &c., on account of the shippers.
TO-MORROW, 8th inst.	Entirely Unreserved Sale of Fancy Goods, Dolls, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Perfumery, Albums, Purses, &c., just landed, ex Ethiopian.
TO-MORROW, 8th inst. at Roma, Brighton-st. Petersham, at 11 o'clock sharp.	The whole of the Household Furniture and Effects, under positive instructions. Without any reserve.
WEDNESDAY, 9th inst.	Entirely Unreserved Sale of Galvanised Holloware, Tubs, Buckets, Scarboro' Trunks, Washboards, American Hardware, &c., just landed, ex Ethiopian.
THURSDAY, 10th inst.	Very choice goods in Super. Cashmeres, Silk Warps, Italians, Manchester Goods, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Felt Hats, Hosiery, &c., ex s.s. Valetta.
FRIDAY, 11th inst.	Positive Unreserved Sale of Pianos by well-known English and Continental Makers; also, a number of secondhand Instruments, to be sold without reserve.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, FANCY CHINA WAREHOUSEMEN, &c.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, 7th June, at 11 o'clock sharp.

At the Rooms, 123, Pitt-street.

A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION
of
WELL-SELECTED GOODS,
consigned to this market as a trial,
for
UNRESERVED SALE,
consisting of—

VERY CHOICE BREAKFAST and TEA SERVICES in Royal Derby, Minton, and French China
TETE-A-TETE SETS, in handsome designs
DINNER SERVICES, in hand-painted, in latest shapes and designs
VERY CHOICE TOILET SETS, single and double
ELEGANT HAND-PAINTED DESSERT SETS
SUITES of GLASSWARE, richly cut
RICHLY DECORATED DRAWING-ROOM LAMPS, complete
Engraved and Cut Decanters, in sets
Engraved and Cut Glass Dishes
Hand-painted French China Jardinieres
Very Handsome Flower Boats and Bridges
Hand-painted and Decorated Jugs
HANDSOME TABLE DECORATIONS,
&c., &c.

All well displayed, and on view at the Rooms on SATURDAY and DAY OF SALE (Monday).

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, 7th June, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A magnificent display of the above
CHOICE GOODS.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock.

TO EARTHEN DEALERS, FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, &c.

On account of whom it may concern.

WITH ALL FAULTS, IF ANY.

14 Packages of
PRINTED TOILET SETS
PRINTED CHAMBERS
PRINTED EWERS and BASINS.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock,

14 packages of the above.

With all faults, if any.

Terms, cash.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 8th instant.
at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, BROKERS, &c.

PERREMPTORY SALE
of
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and effects
contained in 6-roomed House,
ROMA,
BRIGHTON-STREET,
PETERSHAM.
Without the slightest reserve.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have received positive instructions to sell by auction, WITHOUT ANY RESERVE, at Roma, Brighton-street, Petersham, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 8th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
The whole of the household furniture and effects as above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS CASH.

TO-MORROW, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To Fancy Goods Warehousemen, Picture Dealers, Wireworkers, &c.

ENTIRELY UNRESERVED SALE,
of
GENERAL FANCY GOODS, PICTURES, PURSES
VASES, LUSTRES, FANCY GLASSWARE
PIPES, TINWARE, CUTLERY, BASKETS, &c.
SUPERIOR PERFUMERY, LEATHERWARE, &c.

ALL WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 8th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
Invoices of the above goods, comprising—
H in diamond.
1—2 cases gilt-framed oleographs, assorted
3—1 ditto superior Russia leather purses, pocket and memo. books, tablets, ticket purses, &c.
72-75—4 cases assorted vases, lustres, engraved tumblers, in all sizes and shapes
19-21—3 cases briar and cherrywood pipes, assorted
22-23—2 ditto table and pocket cutlery, in great assortment
4-9—6 cases basketware, in all shapes and sizes
10-21—12 ditto superior perfumery, brushware, soaps, sponges, toilet requisites, being a small trial shipment, to test the market
22-23—2 cases superior leatherware in newest goods, &c., &c.

ALL WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 9th instant,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO IRONMONGERS, FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, DEALERS, &c.

On account and at the risk of the Shippers.

An extensive invoice of
GALVANISED IRON TUBS and BUCKETS
SCARBORO' TRUNKS, TRAYS
WASHBOARDS, AXES, HATCHETS
AMERICAN HARDWARE, &c.

Just landed, ex Ethiopian.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, 9th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
Invoices of above goods.

Full particulars, &c., on Tuesday.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 10th instant,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO WAREHOUSEMEN, DRAPERS, WOOLLEN MERCHANTS TAILORS, &c.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE
of
SUPER. CASHMERES, SILK WARPS
DIAGONAL COATINGS, ITALIANS
TOWELS, SHEETING, BLANKETS
STAYS, HOSIERY, UNDERCLOTHING
HATS, CLOTHING, SHIRTS, &c.

Just landed, ex mail steamer Valetta.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the consignees to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 10th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A choice consignment of the above.

Full particulars on Wednesday.

On FRIDAY NEXT, 11th instant,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

To PIANOFORTE and FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, MUSIC TEACHERS, &c.

Important and Entirely Unreserved Sale
of

PIANOFORTES, by SCHROER, Ronisch, W. Weber, Erard, Aucher.
by Boisselot and Co. and Simon.

ORGANS, by Estey, Wood, Beattie, Bell, &c.

HARMONIUMS, by Metzler, Alexandre, &c.

Also,
A number of
FIRST-CLASS (SECOND-HAND) PIANOS,
having been very little used.

ALL WITHOUT RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by public auction, on FRIDAY next, 11th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

A splendid consignment of the above.

Full particulars on Thursday next.

H. L. DUNN and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their New Rooms, 280, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, the 10th June,
Lot 32 of the Hornsey Estate, Balmain.

FIVE THOUSAND CHAIRS for Hire. The Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

SUPERIOR FURNITURE, STATUARY, &c.,
and a
SPLENDID PIANOFORTE, by C. Bechsten.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the Premises, No. 27, ORWELL-STREET, DARLINGHURST, between VICTORIA and MACLEAY STREETS,
on
TUESDAY, 8th June, at 11 a.m.,
of the
SUPERIOR DINING-ROOM and DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE,
CHOICE CUT-GLASS, CHINA, MASSIVE ELECTRO-PLATE
CHOICE COLLECTION of CERAMIC WARE, STATUARY
SELECT LIBRARY of BOOKS, by Standard Authors
SPLENDID COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by C. Bechsten, Berlin, panel front, full compass, trichord, FINE FULL, RICH, CLEAR TONE throughout the whole range of treble and bass, quickly responsive and most agreeable to the touch, mechanism of the highest-class finish, sound, durable, and strong, having been but a short time in use, just sufficiently long to improve the instrument in tone and make the various parts work with perfect smoothness; built in such an admirable way as to withstand the climatic influences of any country. A piano of this superior description is only placed on the market for absolute sale by auction at very rare intervals. We particularly invite the professional player, as well as others to make an inspection on TUESDAY, prior to sale.
GENTLEMAN'S WARDROBE, ELEGANT PAIR TOILETS
BOOKCASE, with glass doors
TOILET SETS
SUPERIOR TAPER-TUBE BEDSTEAD, sanitary woven wire Spring Mattress, and SUPERIOR Bedding.
Also a
SET of PICTURES, SHAKSPEARIAN SUBJECTS.

To GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, PIANOFORTE BUYERS, PRIVATE PURCHASERS of BOOKS, and DEALERS in LITERATURE.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from a private gentleman to sell by public auction, at his residence, No. 27, Orwell-street, Darlinghurst, between Victoria and Macleay streets, on TUESDAY, 8th June, at 11 a.m.,
His SPLENDID PIANOFORTE, SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, cut-glass, CHINA, PLATE, STATUARY, BOOKS, and various other effects.

This is a very tastefully-furnished household, to which the proprietor has added several articles of vertu and a select library of books, to which we desire to draw particular attention.
Inspection invited on TUESDAY MORNING before commencement of sale.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
Gold and Silver Watches, Diamond and other Rings, Alberts, Chains, Brooches, Earrings, Trinkets, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed jewellery pawned with Mr. Joseph Griffiths, of Park-street, as above.

THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.
On the Premises, 388, Oxford-street, Paddington.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Bookcase, Chiffonier, Round Table
Harmonium (by Alexandre), Whatnot
Aus. R. Chair, Easy Chair, Bronze Japanese Ornaments
Iron Bedstead and Bedding, Chest Drawers
Dresser, Kitchen Utensils, Sundries
Also Works of Charles Dickens, Waverley Novels
Counter and Fixtures, Gas Fittings, Sundries.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions to sell by auction, on the above premises, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,
The above.

THIS DAY. At 11 O'CLOCK.
At the ROOMS, 54, PARK-STREET.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES, BEDSTEADS, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO will sell by auction, at their Rooms, the above. Terms, cash.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

UNDERWOOD-STREET, PADDINGTON.

The choice Building BLOCKS, each having 15 feet frontage to Underwood-street, by a depth along Elizabeth-street of 80 feet, with lane at rear, being Lots 1, 2, 3, Perry's subdivision.
TITLE, Torrens'.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public competition, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 9th June, 1886,
The above described property at Paddington.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 9th JUNE, 1886.

CHESTERFIELD HEIGHTS.

TWO EXCEPTIONAL RESIDENTIAL SITES at WAVERLEY, at the CORNER of BUSBY-PARADE and ST. THOMAS-STREET, and being Lot 9, having 30 feet Frontage to St. Thomas-street, by a depth of 140 feet along Busby-parade; and Lot 10, having 40 feet Frontage to St. Thomas-street, by a depth of 140 feet.
TITLE FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 9th JUNE.
The above described BUILDING SITES at WAVERLEY.

MARRICKVILLE RAILWAY STATION,
ILLAWARRA LINE.

To Working Men, Railway Employees, Mechanics, and Others.

13 GOOD LEVEL BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
right at the station,
will be SOLD by AUCTION on the Ground,
SATURDAY, 12th JUNE.
These Building Lots are each
20ft. frontage,
and front a 66ft. Road (RAILWAY-STREET), and run back to a 20ft. Lane at back.

Terms: 10 per cent. deposit; balance, 24 monthly payments at 5 per cent.
LITHOGRAPHS AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers.

MARRICKVILLE RAILWAY STATION,
Reuss and Winckler's Subdivision.
At the RISK and EXPENSE of the FORMER PURCHASERS.

Lot 43, Section 1, 20 feet frontage to MARRICKVILLE-ROAD
Lots 35, 36, and 37, Section 1, each 20 feet frontage to RAILWAY-STREET
Lots 13 and 7, Section 2, each 20 feet frontage to RAILWAY-STREET
Lot 5, Section 2, 20 feet frontage to SYDENHAM-ROAD.
Title Freehold.

LITHOGRAPHS AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, on the Ground, SATURDAY, 12th JUNE, at 3 o'clock,
The above-described allotments, at the risk and expense of the former purchaser.

NEXT SATURDAY. NEXT SATURDAY.

THE PRIDE OF THE SUBURB.

RANDWICK. COOGEE.

COOGEE. RANDWICK.

CAMBRIDGE VILLA, HOUSE, and GROUNDS.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE CHARLES KIDMAN, Esq.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

Terms extending over Three Years.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late
CHARLES KIDMAN, Esq.,
to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
NEXT SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 12th JUNE,
the well-known and highly important Estate
on the
COOGEE BAY-ROAD,
at
RANDWICK,
known as
CAMBRIDGE VILLA
and GROUNDS,
for many years the residence of Mr. Kidman, and possessing
frontages to
BELMORE-ROAD
CARR-STREET
KIDMAN-STREET
BROOK-STREET
MOUNT-STREET.

The residence, surrounded by pleasure grounds of nearly 1½ acres in area, and having the important frontage of 165 feet to Brook-street by a depth of 325 feet 5¼ inches along Kidman-street, occupies a delightfully retired, though elevated position, and is approached by a carriage drive through an avenue of well-matured ornamental trees, interspersed with some fine stuccoes, and is built of stone in the GOTHIC STYLE OF ARCHITECTURE, containing the following accommodation:—
SPACIOUS DRAWING-ROOM, opening on to stone verandah by French casements; large dining-room, BREAKFAST-ROOM, and 6 BEDROOMS, all exceptionally airy and well lighted.
The PRINCIPAL ROOMS are fitted with marble mantelpieces, and nicely corniced.
Separated from the main building by a paved courtyard are the KITCHEN, SCULLERY, LAUNDRY (fitted with tubs) and WASHHOUSE, BATHROOM, &c.
At the rear are the COACHHOUSE and STABLING, with accommodation for 3 horses; also man's room and lofts.
There is a never-failing supply of water from a spring well, which can be pumped in any quantity to any portion of the building by means of a windmill—the whole forming a really complete little property.
The grounds are subdivided into
RESIDENCE SITES,
VILLA SITES,
COTTAGE SITES,
with splendid land, OCEAN, and BEACH views,
as follows:—
8 allotments fronting BELMORE-ROAD, the main thoroughfare
12 allotments fronting MOUNT-STREET
8 allotments fronting CARR-STREET
8 allotments fronting BROOK-STREET
12 allotments fronting KIDMAN-STREET.

The SPECIAL ATTENTION of buyers is directed to the extremely liberal manner in which the Estate is cut up, none of the depths being less than 147 feet, deepening to 166 feet.

The Tramway is within a minute's walk.

Coogee Beach is within 5 minutes' walk.

DAY OF SALE, NEXT SATURDAY.

Messrs. ATCHISON and SCHLEICHER are the Surveyors.

LITHOGRAPHS AT THE ROOMS.

NOTE THE EASY TERMS.
20 per cent. deposit, balance 6, 12, 18, 24, 30, and 36 months, bearing interest at 6 per cent.

ELIOT MEYER, Esq., Market-street, is Solicitor to the Estate.

ORDER OF SALE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.
At Half-past Eleven a.m.

WATKIN and WATKIN offer the undermentioned properties for AUCTION SALE at their Rooms, 281, Pitt-street, on the above date:—

DRUMMOYNE PARK, Parramatta River, Collingwood and Havelock streets.	That well situated, faithfully built elegantly designed Brick VILLA, on stone foundation, slate roof, situate in Collingwood-street, Drummoyne Park Commanding views in all directions which cannot be excelled, and containing on the ground floor wide and lofty entrance hall, drawing room with bow window, connected by folding doors with dining-room, also sitting-room; on first floor, five bedrooms, bathroom, also verandahs and balconies, kitchen, pantry, and washhouse. Ample water supply laid on to bath and washhouse. The land has a frontage of 50 feet to Collingwood-street and 50 feet to Havelock-street, by a through depth of 300 feet. Torrens' Title. Terms at sale.
CAMPERDOWN College-street.	A Terrace of Four HOUSES, built of brick on stone foundations, iron roofs; each house contains four rooms and kitchen. City water laid on. The land has a frontage of 47 feet to College-street, by a depth of 62 feet to a lane at rear. Also, Block of Land adjoining, 25 x 62. Torrens' Title. Terms at sale.
HURSTVILLE PARK, Hurstville.	Three W. B. COTTAGES, iron roofs; two containing three rooms and washhouse, &c.; on land 50 feet to Park-road, by depth of 150 feet. The other cottage contains four rooms, kitchen, also large underground tank; on land 50 feet to the avenue, by a depth of 152 feet 3 inches. These properties are let at a very good rental. Torrens' Title.
CHESTERFIELD ESTATE, Waverley, Arden-street.	Lot 4 of the Chesterfield Estate, having a frontage of 40 feet to Arden-street, by a depth of 140 feet. Opposite the Recreation Reserve. Freehold title.
	Also, by order of the Mortgagees.
WAVERLEY, Nelson's Bay-road, Close to Andrew-street.	Lots 9 and 10 of Barton's Subdivision, having a frontage of 100 feet to Nelson's Bay-road, by a depth of 171 feet. Freehold title.
ANNANDALE, Nelson-street, Close to Collins-street.	A Cottage, built of brick on stone foundations, and containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, washhouse, stable, coachhouse, man's room, hayloft, right-of-way at the side; city water laid on; on land 33 feet to Nelson-street, by a depth of 198 feet. Torrens' title. Messrs. M'Namara and Norton, solicitors for the mortgagees.
CANLEY VALE, Ashford Grove.	Lots 82 and 83. Lot 83 has a frontage of 67 feet to Bartley-street by a depth of 303 feet along Phelps-street. Lot 82 has a frontage of 67 feet to Bartley-street by a depth of 344 feet. Torrens' title.
	At the risk and expense of the former purchaser.
OSBORNE HILL, Randwick.	Lots 8 and 26, 40 feet to Hamilton-street and 40 feet to Brook-street by a through depth of 330 feet. Torrens' title. Plan on view.

SHARES.

In the ESTATE of the Late
Mr. HUGH POLSON,

TO-MORROW,

At half-past 11 a.m.

WATKIN and WATKIN sell by auction, in their Rooms, 281, Pitt-street, on the above date,
20 shares in the Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Company, paid up to £5
450 in the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, paid up to £1
85 in the Land Company of Australasia, paid up to £1
7 in the New South Wales Property Investment Company, paid up £12 10s
50 in the Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association, Limited, paid up to £5.

Full particulars on application.

Also,
DIVIDEND-PAYING SHARES.

10 Anglo-Australian Investment Company, Limited, shares, paid up to £4.

2 ditto, ditto, paid up to £5.

100 Land Company of Australasia, Limited, paid up to £1 2s 6d.

Also,
by order of the Mortgagees,
70 shares West Wallsend Coal Company, paid up to 5s
100 shares Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company, 6s paid
20 shares Town and Country Land and Building Company, paid up to £1 2s 6d
60 shares Wentworthville Land and Building Company
30 shares Land Company of Australasia, paid up to £1.

H. L. DUNN and SON have received instructions from the Trustees of the late Edward Bennett to sell by public auction, at their New Property and General Auction Sale Rooms, 280, Pitt-street, near Bathurst-street, on THURSDAY, June 10, at 11 o'clock,
The following City and Suburban Properties:

FRANCIS-STREET, near College-street.	Allotment of land, having a frontage of 24 feet to Francis-street, by a depth of 68 feet 6 inches to lane at rear, on which is erected two 2-story houses, Nos. 8 and 10, built of brick and stone, each containing 4 rooms and kitchen.
STANLEY-STREET.	Allotment of land, having a frontage 30 feet to Stanley-street, and a depth of 85 feet to Chapel-lane. On the Stanley-street frontage is erected a cottage, No. 85, built of brick on stone, containing 4 rooms and kitchen. On the Chapel-lane frontage is erected a 2-story house, No. 8, containing 7 rooms, built of brick and stone. Both house and cottage have side entrances.
CROWN-STREET, Woolloomooloo.	111, Crown-street, 4-roomed cottage, brick on stone, with stables, having a frontage of 23 feet to Crown-street, by a depth of 104 feet 6 inches to Crown-lane.
PADDINGTON.	39, William-street, 4-roomed house, brick and stone, having a frontage of 14 feet 6 inches to William-street, by a depth of 69 feet 8 inches.
RANDWICK.	Allotment of land, having a frontage of 20 feet to Alison-road, by a depth of 120 feet to a lane 20 feet wide at rear.

The above properties are for Unreserved Sale.
Terms, cash.
For particulars of title apply John Dawson and Son, solicitors, Pitt-street.

BLACKHEATH.—Acre and ½-Acre BLOCKS, right at the Station, easy terms, for SALE next WEDNESDAY, in the Rooms.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Sheriff's Department, Sydney,
June 4, 1886.

BANK OF AUSTRALASIA v. M'CARTHY AND ANOTHER.
BOWN v. SAME.

ON TUESDAY NEXT, 8th June instant, at 11 a.m., on the premises in the occupation of the defendants, No. 26, Jamison-street, Sydney, unless the above warrants are previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction.
The stock-in-trade of a plumber, &c.

TERMS, PROMPT CASH.

CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ALDOUS and ANOTHER v. EARL.

Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
28th May, 1886.

ON TUESDAY, the 8th day of JUNE next, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, at the defendant's store, Blue Gum Flat, near Gosford,
A quantity of store goods, consisting of drapery, groceries, &c., &c.

Terms, cash.

CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

GEO. L. SLY, Plaintiff's Attorney, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
3rd June, 1886.

BAKER v. BELL AND OTHERS.

ON FRIDAY, the eleventh day of June instant, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of Robert Finlay, one of the defendants herein, of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land, being lot 23 of section D, West Kogarah Estate, having 30 feet frontage to Station-street, by a depth of 153 feet, situate in county of Cumberland, parish of St. George, being portion of land comprised in the certificate of title, dated 23rd September, 1884, registered volume No. 712, folio No. 247, and delineated on plan 1562, deposited in the Lands Titles Office.
Also, in and to
All that piece or parcel of land, being lot 22 of section D, West Kogarah Estate, having 30 feet frontage to Station-street, by a depth of 144 feet 9 inches, together with a frontage of 12 feet 5 inches to Robertson-street also; situate in county of Cumberland, parish of St. George, being portion of land comprised in the certificate of title, dated 23rd September, 1884, registered volume No. 712, folio No. 247, and delineated on plan 1562 deposited in the Lands Titles Office.
And also in and to
All that piece or parcel of land, being lot 9 of section L, West Kogarah Estate, having a frontage of 48 feet 3 inches to Railway-street, by a depth of 193 feet 3 inches, situate in the county of Cumberland, parish of St. George, being portion of land comprised in the certificate of title dated 23rd September, 1884, registered volume No. 712, folio No. 247, and delineated on plan 1562, deposited in the Lands Titles Office.

Terms, cash.
CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.

W. C. PROCTER, Plaintiff's Attorney,
143, King-street, Sydney.

BLACKHEATH.—Acre and ½-Acre BLOCKS, right at the Station, easy terms, for SALE next WEDNESDAY in the Rooms.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE of full-weight Petroline Sperms, 6½d per lb. J. Kidman.

CITY PROPERTY. CITY PROPERTY.

VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.

TO SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, SHOPKEEPERS, and OTHERS.

TWO VALUABLE BUILDING BLOCKS,
situate in
SUSSEX-STREET, close to DRUITT-STREET,
being within short distance of the wharfs and goods terminus of DARLING HARBOUR.

ALLOTMENT known as No. 270, SUSSEX-STREET,
adjoining Booth's Grocery store,
having 11 feet 6 inches to SUSSEX-STREET,
by depth of 40 feet along FOWLER'S-LANE.

Also,
ALLOTMENT known as No. 272, SUSSEX-STREET,
adjoining Burns' new Stores,
having 14 feet 9 inches frontage to SUSSEX-STREET,
by depth of 60 feet along FOWLER'S-LANE.

This is a grand opportunity for those wishing to secure a site for stores, &c., in a part of the city where land is rapidly advancing in price, and where large stores and manufactories are constantly being erected.

COHEN and MACKENZIE have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 134, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, June 8, 1886, at 11.30 a.m.,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.
TERMS AT SALE.

RANDWICK. RANDWICK.

TO CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

THE UNSOLD LOTS in the ETHELSTONE ESTATE.

ALLOTMENTS
having 20 feet frontage by depths of from 120 to 160 feet,
fronting
HOWARD, ETHEL, HENRY, and
MEYMOTT STREETS,
within 3 minutes' walk of tram stopping place at
ST. PAUL'S-ROAD.

PLAN and LITHOS. at the ROOMS.

COHEN and MACKENZIE have received instructions to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 134, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 8th JUNE, 1886, at 11.30 a.m.,
THE ABOVE CHOICE BUILDING SITES.

TITLE, TORRENS'.
TERMS VERY EASY AT SALE.

RANDWICK. RANDWICK.

IMPERATIVE SALE.
TO CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.

SITUATE on the HEIGHTS of RANDWICK,
and having frontages to
AVENUE RESERVE, off AVOCA-STREET,
and immediately opposite
FRENCHMAN'S-ROAD,
along which the tram line from Waverley to Randwick will run.

EACH ALLOTMENT has a frontage of 33 feet to AVENUE-RESERVE, by depth of 100 feet. These sites are facing a Government Reserve, so that persons building will have a grand interrupted view, which cannot be built out.

PLAN and LITHOS. at the ROOMS.

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THE ABOVE CHOICE BUILDING SITES.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

SURRY HILLS. SURRY HILLS.

To Small Capitalists, Investors, and Others.

TWO TWO-STORY DWELLINGS, being Nos. 17 and 19, BURTON-STREET, built of brick on stone, slate roof, each containing 5 rooms and kitchen, balcony, verandah, and side entrance, returning annual rental of £130, within 10 minutes' walk of G. P. O.

COHEN and MACKENZIE have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 134, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, June 8, 1886, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above first-class property.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.
TERMS AT SALE.

NEWTOWN. NEWTOWN.

RARE CHANCE FOR A WORKING-MAN.

WELL-BUILT Two-story W. B. HOUSE, known as 17, NEWMAN-STREET, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, copper, &c., gas and water, large garden in front, land 16 feet frontage by depth of 129 feet.

This property is within 3 minutes' walk of Newtown or Macdonaldtown railway station, and one minute from Newtown markets, 'bus, or tram, and is worthy the attention of anyone requiring a property easily and quickly reached from the city.

COHEN and MACKENZIE have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 134, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, June 8, 1886, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above really good property.

TITLE, GOORY ESTATE.
TERMS AT SALE.

GLEBE POINT. GLEBE POINT.

TO PARTIES IN SEARCH OF PRIVATE RESIDENCE.

TOXTETH PARK ESTATE.

TWO HANDSOME semi-detached VILLA RESIDENCES, built of brick on stone, slate roofs, known as LAURENCE VILLA and WESTWOOD, situate in GLEBE POINT-ROAD, each containing drawing, dining, and breakfast rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, and outhouses, gas and water, &c.

THE LAND to Laurence Villa is a corner block, having 40 feet frontage to GLEBE POINT-ROAD, by depth of 122 feet along BOYCE-STREET to 20-feet lane at rear. LAND to WESTWOOD (adjoining above), 40 feet to Glebe Point-road by depth of 120 feet to lane at rear. Splendid situation.

COHEN and MACKENZIE have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 134, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 8th June, 1886, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above desirable villa residences.

TITLE FREEHOLD. TERMS at SALE.

PADDINGTON LAND.

GOOD BUILDING BLOCK, having 38 FEET FRONTAGE to CALEDONIA-STREET, depth 98 feet, together with the Building STONE thereon.
*** A good site for 3 houses. Caledonia-street is west of Leicester-street, and handy to tram, corner of Elizabeth and Oxford streets.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 11th JUNE.
At our Rooms, at 11.30 a.m.
Liberal terms.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.
(436)

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the Estate late Mrs. JANE HOBBS.

RAILWAY-PLACE,
off Randle-street, between Elizabeth and Devonshire streets, near Railway Station.

LOT 1.—DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 33, Railway-place, of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 4 rooms and kitchen, yard with side entrance, sewer; rental 17s per week.
The Land has 20 feet frontage, depth 60 feet.
Title, leasehold, about 82 years to run; ground rent, £6 10s per annum.
LOT 2.—DWELLING, No. 48, Railway-place, of brick, containing hall, 4 rooms, yard with side entrance, sewer, &c.; rent, 14s per week.
The Land has 20 feet frontage, depth 60 feet.
Title, leasehold, 70 years to run; ground rent, £6 10s per annum.

*** Just the position for Railway Employees, Mechanics, and Working-men. The position is central and elevated.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell, at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.
The above small city dwellings.

Messrs. STEPHEN and ICKERSON, Pitt-street, are Solicitors for the estate. (428)

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF JOHN KNOX AND ANDREW KNOX, TRADING AS KNOX BROS.

All the Estate, Right, Site, and Interest (if any) of AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Esq., as official assignee of the above-named insolvents of and into all that Piece or Parcel of Land, situate lying and being at the GLEBE, near the city of Sydney, parish of Petersham, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, being Allotment Number 19, of section number 3, commencing at the junction of Queen and Cowper streets, and bounded on the south by Queen-street, being a line bearing easterly seventy-feet, on the east by allotment number eighteen of said section, being a line bearing northerly twenty-seven feet, on the north by allotment twenty, being a line bearing westerly sixty-four feet, to Cowper-street aforesaid, and on the west by that street to the point of commencement. Also, all that Piece or Parcel of Land, situate at the GLEBE aforesaid, in the parish and colony aforesaid, being Allotment Number Twenty-one, of said block number three, commencing in Cowper-street at the southwest corner of allotment number twenty, of said section, and bounded on the south by that allotment being a line bearing easterly fifty-seven feet, on the east by allotment number eighteen, being a line bearing northerly twenty-seven feet, on the north by a line bearing westerly forty feet to Cowper-street aforesaid, and on the west by that street to the point of commencement. On the first-mentioned parcel of land is erected a BUTCHER'S-SHOP. The Title is Leasehold, having about six years to run at a yearly rental of forty-five pounds.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell, at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th June, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

G. F. R. BURCHER, Esq., Wentworth Court, is Solicitor of the Vendor. (429.)

PRETTY HOME on AUBURN PARK,
in an elevated healthy district, and having 3 acres of variously improved grounds, viz., Orange and Lemon Groves, stone fruits, all in bearing order, garden, &c. The COTTAGE is remarkably well built of weatherboards (lath and plaster), and has verandah on 3 sides, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, detached underground superior dairy, man's room, workshop, and stabling now erecting.
The frontage of land is to RODD-STREET, and adjoins the residence of Mr. Delarue and others. The drive is a pleasant one, about three miles from Rookwood, where the train service is frequent.
To a retired gentleman or a city business man this is a capital chance to acquire a delightful homestead.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 11th JUNE, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban property, known as the property and residence of Mr. R. P. Clement. Inspection invited. Vendor will meet parties if he has one day's notice.

Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, Pitt-street, are Solicitors of the Vendor. (426.)

PETERSHAM, close to the CANTERBURY-ROAD.
ALLOTMENT, having frontage of 40 feet to Fairfoul-street, 27 feet to Allen-street, depth 120 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.
The above allotment. Plan on view. Terms at sale. (433.)

WAVERLEY.
Immediately at the Tram Terminus.

ELLORA, a Two-story Detached RESIDENCE, fronting the east side of LEICHHARDT-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th June, at 11 o'clock,
All that large block of land, having 66 feet frontage to Leichhardt-street, with a depth of 200 feet, on which is erected, of brick on stone foundation, ELLORA, a detached RESIDENCE, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 5 large rooms, kitchen, wooden washhouse and shed at rear; gas and water laid on to the premises.
The above delightfully situated property on Waverley heights commands most extensive and pretty views, and is in the immediate vicinity of first-class properties.
INSPECTION INVITED.

By Order of the Executors and Trustees in the Estate late Mr. FREWIN SLEATH.

CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.
LOT 1.—ULTIMO, LEASEHOLD, No. 521, HARRIS-STREET, Shop and Dwelling, close to the corner of Macarthur-street.
LOT 2.—ARNCLIFFE, BLOCK of LAND, fronting Cliff-street, together with the Houses thereon.
LOT 3.—ASHFIELD, TWO COTTAGES, fronting Margaret-street, portion of Mills' Garden.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th June, at 11 o'clock.
LOT 1.—ULTIMO. All that allotment of land having 20 feet 6 inches frontage to Harris-street, on which is erected, of brick on stone foundation, shop and dwelling, No. 521, Harris-street, with awning in front, and containing 6 apartments, with stables at rear. Title, leasehold; about 90 years to run; ground rent, £11 5s 6d per annum.

LOT 2.—ARNCLIFFE. All that block of land having 100 feet frontage to Cliff-street, with a depth of about 150 feet, on which is erected, of brick on stone foundations, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 5 rooms and kitchen, with detached wooden shed.
*** The above property is only a few yards off the Gannon's Forest-road, near the Highbury Barn Hotel.

LOT 3.—ASHFIELD. All that allotment of land having 50 feet frontage to Margaret-street, with a depth of 117 feet to a lane, on which are erected, of brick on stone foundation, TWO COTTAGES, with verandahs in front, and containing each hall, 3 rooms and kitchen.

TERMS AT SALE.
Messrs. DEANE and DEANE, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Estate. (431)

NEWTOWN,
a few yards south of King-street.

BLOCK of LAND, having 20 feet frontage to the west side of BROWN-STREET, with a depth of 100 feet to a lane, adjoining Mr. Bellamy's house.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th June, at 11 o'clock.
The above valuable allotment, at Newtown, close to the tram, train, and omnibus. Terms at sale.
(439.)

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400 SHARES in
Messrs. John Castner and Co., Limited.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY next, 11th June, at 11 o'clock,
400 fully paid shares in the above company.
In lots to suit purchasers. (448.)

NEXT THURSDAY, 10th JUNE.

THE OLD PUBLIC SCHOOL SITE
and
LARGE BRICK BUILDINGS,
CHURCH-STREET, PARRAMATTA,
in the
CENTRE OF THE TOWN.

72 FEET FRONTAGE to the
MAIN BUSINESS STREET OF THE TOWN.

TERMS AT SALE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Honorable the Minister for Public Instruction to sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, NEXT THURSDAY, June 10, at half-past 11,
THE LARGE BRICK BUILDINGS used until lately as THE PARRAMATTA NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL, with THE FREEHOLD LAND, having 72 FEET FRONTAGE to the East side of CHURCH-STREET.

THE BUILDINGS are sound and of large capacity, and would make a fine block for any commercial business.

HALL FOR FRIENDLY SOCIETY or MANUFACTORY.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT, CROWN GRANT.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Rooms, Sydney; or the Branch Office, Church-street, Parramatta.

PETERSHAM.

THURSDAY, 10th JUNE.

COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, built of Brick on Stone, slate roof, containing 4 rooms, hall, kitchen, washhouse, verandahs front and back, on LAND having 40 feet frontage to Denison-road, Virginia Water Estate.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 10th June, at 11.30,
A brick cottage and land, Denison-street, Petersham,
GLADSTONE HOUSE.

BALMAIN—GROVE-STREET,
near Leichhardt.

THURSDAY, 10th JUNE.

DETACHED W.B. RESIDENCE,
opposite Callan Park,
Balmain.

THE HOUSE is built of weatherboard, roofed with iron, with verandah and balcony in front, contains hall, 10 rooms, &c., on land 30 x 98, and known as
FRANCES VILLA.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 10th June, at 11.30, the above
DETACHED DWELLING—FRANCES VILLA,
in good order, and a comfortable house.
Freehold title.

THE FIRST SUBDIVISION
of the
CELEBRATED QUAKER'S HILL ESTATE.

NEXT SATURDAY, 12th JUNE.

The Property of the Quaker's Hill Land Company, Limited.

FRONTING the WINDSOR RAILWAY LINE,
and close to the Douglas Platform.

OVER 300 GOOD-SIZED TOWNSHIP LOTS,
and
200 ORCHARD and MARKET GARDEN
BLOCKS of 2 to 4 ACRES EACH.

MAGNIFICENT RICH VOLCANIC SOIL, equal to the celebrated Brush Farm, producing the finest oranges in the country, as may be seen at Mr. Pye's orchard, adjoining this estate.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Quaker's Hill Land Company, Limited, to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND,
NEXT SATURDAY, 12th JUNE,
at 3 p.m.,
the
FIRST SUBDIVISION
of the above
FINE ESTATE.

ON VERY EASY TERMS.

CALL FOR LITHOS. AND TICKETS AT THE ROOMS, SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130, Pitt-street.

NEXT SATURDAY, 12th JUNE.
Call for Lithos. and Tickets for Steamer,
at the Sydney Auction Mart,
130, Pitt-street.

MILLS and PILE will sell, ON THE GROUND,
on very easy terms,
ARDENODE HOUSE, GROUNDS, ORCHARD LOTS,
Villa Sites, and a fine Orchard,
on that choice estate,
BRUSH FARM, PARRAMATTA,
close to the Eastwood Station, Northern Line.
SATURDAY AFTERNOON, the 12th JUNE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORGAGEES.

EDGECLIFFE-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 17.

SUPERIOR VILLA RESIDENCE,
known as
CAMPDEN VILLA.
situate at
EDGECLIFFE-ROAD,
to which it has a frontage of 35 feet with a depth of about 92 feet.

THE HOUSE is built of Brick on Stone, is Detached, and contains Porch, Hall, Drawing Room 22 x 13, Dining Room, Kitchen, and Servant's Room on the Ground Floor; and two Large Bedrooms, Dressing Room, Bath Room, Linen Closet, &c., on the First Floor. Front and back Verandahs, small garden, and now occupied by C. SHARD, Esq., at a rental of £130 per annum.
TITLE, the well-known COOPER LEASEHOLD, having about 69 years to run at a ground rent of £4 per annum.

TERMS AT SALE.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, June 17, at half-past 11 o'clock, the above
SUPERIOR VILLA RESIDENCE.
CAMPDEN VILLA.

Full particulars and cards to view can be obtained at the Rooms.

BANKSTOWN.

THURSDAY, 17th JUNE.

SUBDIVISION BLOCK OF LAND
of
TWENTY ACRES,
situate
just off the old George's River-road, about 2 miles from Bankstown, adjoining Mr. Mitchell's.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 17th June, at 11.30,
That choice 20-acre block of land, known as the western half of Steenson's 40-acre grant, 10 ACRES CLEARED AND GRASSED.

ON THE GROUND, ON SATURDAY, JUNE 19.

HARRIS PARK, PARRAMATTA.

16 CHOICE BUSINESS and VILLA SITES,
fronting
THE RAILWAY LINE
and
MARION-STREET.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, on the Ground, SATURDAY, JUNE 19, at 11 o'clock,
16 choice villa and business sites, situated at the Harris Park Platform, and having frontages of 33 feet each by depths of from 120 to 139 feet.

LITHOS. AT THE ROOMS,
130, Pitt-street.

TERMS VERY EASY.

THURSDAY, 24th JUNE.

HOMEBUSH.

A New and Substantially-built
FAMILY RESIDENCE and GROUNDS
(the house standing 100 feet back from the street),
EMBRACING AN AREA OF 1½ ACRES,
FRONTING ALBERT-ROAD,
to which it has a frontage of 264 feet, by a depth of 250 feet,
within 12 minutes of railway station,
surrounded by the properties of
MAJOR-GENERAL RICHARDSON, W. V. HEYDE, Esq.,
G. F. TODMAN, Esq., and Others.

TITLE, TORRENS'.

MILLS and PILE have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, in the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, June 24, at 11.30 o'clock,
A new and substantially-built
FAMILY RESIDENCE and GROUNDS,
comprising an area of 1½ Acres, having a frontage
of 264 FEET TO ALBERT-ROAD,
by a depth of 250 feet.
The house is erected of brick on stone foundations, slate roof, and contains:—
ON THE GROUND FLOOR.—Wide hall, drawing-room, dining-room, library, morning-room (each 13ft. 6in. in height), 3 pantries, kitchen, larder, laundry, lavatory, &c.
ON THE UPPER FLOOR.—8 bedrooms (each 11ft. in height), 2 bathrooms, and other necessaries.
There are also wide verandahs and balconies on two sides and verandah and balcony at the rear.

THE AUCTIONEERS would point out that it is seldom so attractive and superior a residence, with such complete appointments, is submitted to public competition, and further to the effect that the original vendors of the estate at the time of sale placed restrictions that no house could be erected within 100 feet from the street, and must cost at least £2000. Such being the case, it has made ALBERT-ROAD second to none in the character of its buildings and the high-class improvements thereon.

Cards to view can be obtained on application at the Rooms.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, 3rd JULY.

BRENAN'S ESTATE,
GARRYOWEN, NEAR BALMAIN.

AUCTION SALE, on the GROUND.

198 ALLOTMENTS.

THE PICK of the ESTATE.

Fronting
CECILLY,
LAMB,
RYAN,
and
O'NEILL STREETS.

Each Lot having 16 feet frontage by a depth of from 100 to 1 feet to a lane at the rear.
The surveyed route of the BALMAIN TRAM will pass within a few yards of this estate.

TERMS EXCEPTIONALLY EASY.
£5 deposit; balance in 36 monthly payments, with 6 per cent. interest on the balance due.

Title, Torrens'. Plans at the rooms.

MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers,
130, PITT-STREET.

ON THE GROUND.

SATURDAY, JUNE 12th, 1886,
at 3 p.m.

IMPORTANT SALE
of that
MAGNIFICENT SUBURBAN ESTATE,
WINDERMERE ESTATE,
ROOKWOOD.

80 CHOICE VILLA SITES.

TERMS OF SALE.
These are remarkably easy, and must give satisfaction, as every one will have a chance.
£5 DEPOSIT, balance by MONTHLY PAYMENTS of £1, without interest.

Now is the time to INVEST in SUBURBAN LANDS.
PRICES MUST ADVANCE.

CALL OR SEND FOR PLANS AND FREE RAILWAY PASSES.

GIBBS and CO. have been favoured with instructions to submit the same to public auction.
Full particulars at our rooms,
20, Bond-street, Sydney.
REMEMBER, SATURDAY, JUNE 12,
TICKETS to and from Ground FREE.
Send or call for same.

AUCTION EARLY IN JULY.

MAGNIFICENT RIVERINA PROPERTY
upon the
MURRUMBIDGEE.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.
In consequence of Dissolution of Partnership.

To close accounts, and no one interested will bid for the property.

WARDEN HARRY GRAVES, Sydney (in conjunction with J. C. Walker and Co., Melbourne), have received instructions from Messrs. Rudd Bros., to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, in Melbourne, at an early date, due notice of which will be given in future advertisements, probably early in July.
That magnificent, well-known, and highly-improved property,
HOWLONG,
on the Murrumbidgee River,
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THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN M'CARTHY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, George Charles; to move from his residence, Belmont House, 48, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. R. F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 807, George-st. South, and Darling-st., Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. DAVID COWIE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved Jane Meldrum; to move from his residence, 112, Buckingham-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. ROBERT F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 807, George-street South, and Darling-street, Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEORGE HOLLIDAY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SON, George William; to move from his residence, Raywell-street, Balmain West, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for the Balmain Cemetery. R. F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, Darling-st., Balmain, and 807, George-st. South.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS W. MULLENDER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Sarah; to move from his residence, Ictavia, Merton-street, Balmain, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery. ROBERT F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, Darling-st., Balmain, and 807, George-st. South.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. MARGARET M'LEOD, of 87, Gloucester-street, Sydney, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved DAUGHTER, Mrs. Sarah Mullender; to move from her late residence, Invicta, Merton-street, Balmain, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery. ROBERT F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers.

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THE FRIENDS of Senior-sergeant PIRIE are informed the Funeral of his late beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Mrs. Sarah Mullender, will leave her late residence, Merton-street, Balmain, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN EDWARDS, of Botany, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Mrs. Sarah Mullender; to move from her late residence, Invicta Cottage, Merton-street, Balmain, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JOHN HANSEN are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 1, Sydney-terrace, Wallis-street, Woollahra, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING, Undertakers, No. 8, George-street West, near Tooth's Brewery; 140, Liverpool-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ALFRED POTTS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, Alfred Ennis; to move from his residence, Little Arthur-street, St. Leonards, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter past 3 o'clock, for St. Thomas' Cemetery. T. HIGLEY, Undertaker, Blue's Point-road, St. Leonards.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES CUMMINS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Ellen; to move from his residence, 17, Waterloo-street, Chippendale, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at half-past 8 o'clock, for Necropolis. ROBERT F. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 807, Geo.-st. South, and Darling-st., Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM DUNDAS, Tram Conductor, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 2, Codrington-st., Darlington, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. CHARLES BOOTS and CO., Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown, and Norton-street, Leichhardt.

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